

Allied Air Offensive Continues

U. S. Bombers and Fighters Get 138 German Planes in Thursday's Raids

LONDON, April 14.—(AP)—Swooping out of a cloud bank, ninth air force fighter-bombers destroyed a score of planes on a German airfield in Northeast France today and set fires in fuel dumps and hangars, carrying into its seventh straight day the pre-invasion offensive designed to knock out the German air force.

The Thunderbolts' attack was so sudden, returning pilots said, that about 50 German planes were sighted on the field, which was raked almost at leisure. The fighter-bombers, with Thunderbolt fighter escort, returned without loss, air headquarters announced.

(The heavy bombers based in Britain and Italy apparently did not fly today.)

LONDON, April 14.—(AP)—RAF Mosquito bombers struck Berlin and western Germany last night in climax to double-header daylight assaults yesterday upon aircraft and rail targets by nearly 3,000 U. S. bombers and fighters that bagged 138 German planes at the cost of 63 of which 52 were bombers.

It was the first blow against the

Marine Radio Gunner Promoted



Sergeant Leland Finley Vanderhoof, a Marine radio gunner and son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon F. Vanderhoof of route 3, Bunceton, recently was promoted from corporal to his present rank. Flying with a Marine Dive Bombing unit in the South Pacific, Sergeant Vanderhoof has participated in 16 combat missions over enemy territory. Before enlisting in the Marine Corps he was employed by the Grimes-Stassforth Stationery Company of Los Angeles, California. (Official U. S. Marine Corps Photo)

Robert Preston, Movie Actor, Is in Air Force in England

Marion Francis Todd Reported Missing

Word has been received by Mrs. Helen Todd, formerly of Green Ridge, now of Kansas City, that her husband, Marion Francis Todd, is missing in action. The word was received by Mrs. Todd on April 10.

Mrs. Todd is employed at the Pratt and Whitney airplane company in Kansas City.

Critics Are Provoked at Draft Orders

State Whole Problem Is Fogged by Home Front Fighting

By James Marlow and George Ziegler

WASHINGTON, April 14.—(AP)—Critics are making the military minds now for not discovering sooner that men under 26 make the best combat troops.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—(AP)—The appointment of Gen. Douglas MacArthur as secretary of war was proposed by a Republican and a Democratic senator today as politicians calculated the effect of correspondence which most of them interpreted as indicating MacArthur is receptive to a GOP presidential nomination.

"While the army is now approaching its ultimate strength, a number of units must be filled during the remainder of the year. Most of these are service elements in which older men can best be used.

"Next year the bulk of men in all probability will be required for replacements to combat troops and they should represent the younger—the most vigorous types."

That was last October. The army announced April 6 that it had reached full strength and thereafter would need replacements only. Two days later the army said it wanted the 18-26 group immediately as replacements.

But critics ask: Why didn't this

(Please turn to Page 4, Column 2)

Will Protest Hershey's Order

NEW YORK, April 14.—(AP)—The executive board of the United Lutheran Church in America disclosed today that it would protest instructions by Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, dropping deferments of pre-theological students on and after July 1.

The board said a telegram would be sent to General Hershey.

Protesting cancellation of pre-theological student deferments because it would "rob our country of this future Protestant spiritual leadership, particularly since the number involved, approximately 1,750 men for the country as a whole, is utterly insignificant as compared with the total military establishment."

Youth Under Supervision

BARCELONA, April 14.—(AP)—Joseph Darzand, secretary general for maintenance of order in the Vichy regime, has put all Catholic youth and other organizations in France under strict police supervision, advises reaching here said today.

New Greek Cabinet

CAIRO, April 14.—(AP)—In an effort to end factional strife among divergent political elements inside the outside Greece, King George II has instructed Sophocles Venizelos to form a new Greek cabinet truly representative of his people.

Three Canadian radio stations in and near Toronto reported hearing the words indicating a landing was in progress.

But there was absolutely no Allied confirmation, and the British Broadcasting Corporation was simply a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning mentioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was described as "entirely untrue from speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or another commando strike to the suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or another commando strike to the suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,

that it might be the real thing or

another commando strike to the

suggestion it might be a German or even an Allied smokescreen.

Three Canadian radio stations

south of Calais but it apparently

was a garbled version of a Nazi "we dare you" warning men-

tioning the Dieppe landing in 1942.

In London the broadcast was

described as "entirely untrue from

speculation to end."

Speculation ranged from guesses,</

This Is Tarawa Today

Scene of Bloody Battle Quickly Becomes Model Allied Base in Pacific



Near the beach where American assault forces died by hundreds in the savage fighting for Tarawa, scenes reminiscent of a vacation resort now make the war seem far away. Above, with a native outrigger canoe, nurses and officers have a splashing good time.



Reminders of the many heroic sacrifices in the Tarawa campaign are these graves of Marines (below) on nearby Burick island. The men buried here fell before a Jap ambush near the end of the fighting. Natives had marked the graves as best they could, but Marines are shown shaping up the mounds and placing new, white crosses.



Tarawa-Boom-Dee-Ay! With the hated Japs gone forever from Tarawa, the natives are in a mood for celebration. At right, dancers and drummers perform a version of the hula for American guests. The latter normally are forbidden to visit native villages, but this was a special occasion.

Study Plan To Enforce Peace

An International Police Force Not Given Support

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, April 14.—(AP)

Plans for a single international police force to guard the peace of the postwar world have been studied extensively by state department foreign policy experts, it was learned Thursday, but have been discarded as impractical.

Instead the experts are planning now in terms of separate national forces—armies, navies and air groups. A half dozen or more powers would maintain strong national forces and would, it is hoped, join to suppress or put down international disturbances threatening general war.

Proposals along this line will be among those submitted by Secretary Hull to the bi-partisan senate committee which he has asked Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the senate foreign relations committee to appoint to advise the state department on postwar policy. Once the committee has passed upon the plans they will be put into shape for submission to other nations, initially the war's main allies, Britain, Russia and China.

The idea of using force to maintain peace is considered by American foreign policy officials to be the core of the whole problem of building a peaceful world. It is bound up with all questions of organizing a world council or league to perpetuate the war-born United Nations.

The national forces which the United States is preparing to propose would be used only by international agreement and thus would serve the same purpose as a single international police force but without raising complicated new issues of how to man, supply, finance, base and operate a totally new kind of military establishment which would face extra-ordinary difficulties of language, training and customs.

Exactly how this country might enter into agreement to use its own land, sea and air strength only in collaboration with other nations is a problem which has to be worked out as part of the much broader question of how the nation may join a world council. One possibility is to have congress approve such use of force in principle and then decide each case as it arises in accordance with the principle.

The most complete statement yet made on state department thinking about postwar plans comes from Assistant Secretary Breckinridge Long. Long said in an address in New York last night:

"Each of the major nations and

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

Joseph Dickmann, manufacturer of office and store fixtures, shows cases and furniture, whose plant is located at Third and Montgomery streets, has completed plans for a new factory, which is to be erected at once on the land owned by him and now partly occupied by the present plant.

W. R. Annan, editor and publisher of the Pilot Grove Record, was in the city last evening and returned home today.

Ex-Alderman John S. Landes of this city, but for several years past living in Kansas City, is an applicant for the position of market master there under Mayor-elect Neff, and J. P. Maguire, the Armour meat salesman, well known in Sedalia, is booming Mr. Landes in every way possible.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

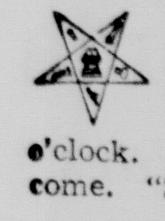
Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a few days ago and looked over the collection which is said to be second in value only to the collection in the Smithsonian Institute. The fossils were all collected in Henry county.

Dr. John H. Britts of Clinton has sold his collection of coal fossils to the Chicago Academy of Science. W. K. Higley, secretary of the academy, went to Clinton a



Pettis chapter No. 279, O. E. S. will meet in regular session Friday evening, April 14 at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. "Social session."

Lola Farley, W. M. Gertrude Holland, Secy.



Good for the Whole Family

Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co. of Sedalia Telephone 814

Three Brothers Meet in London

LONDON, April 14.—(AP)—It was a big day for the Tyree brothers—Sergeant Albert and Private Melvin—of Huntington, W. Va., when they met by accident in a London club for the first time in nearly a year.

Melvin, of the signal corps, has been overseas only two months. Albert, on the other hand, has been around, bombing Japanese in New Guinea and Germans in Europe. He joined the army in 1939 and became an air gunner. Although only 22, he wears the D. F. C. the air medal and three clusters, and the Asiatic-Pacific medal with three stars. After returning home from the Pacific he volunteered for this theater.

"As for me," Melvin said, "I haven't collected anything except a bad cold."

Green Ridge Resident's Poetry Recognized

Two poems written by Fred A. Rothenberger, Route 2, Green Ridge, Mo., appear in the anthology, "My Favorite Poems," recently published by The Exposition Press of New York City.

Mr. Rothenberger's poems are: "Our Mighty Air Corps," and "The World's Scourge," and appear on page 454 of the anthology.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results. 10 words, one week, 80¢.

Rural Schools Graduation

Joint Exercises For Seven Schools In Smithton District

Graduation exercises for the rural schools of the Smithton community were held at the school auditorium at 8:15 o'clock Tuesday evening at Smithton with C. F. Scotten, county superintendent making the principal address and the presentation of diplomas.

Graduates were: Barbara Lee Todd, Arator school; Carolyn Monsees, Brushy school; Jo Ellen Seigel, Lovelace school; Egbert Kindle, Olive Branch school; C. W. Summers and Bettie Lea Nicewarmer, Salem school; Gertrude Rehner and Rosella Schiobohn, Ringen school and Matt Green and Norman Smith, White school.

The commencement program was as follows: Processional, Ruth Evelyn Green; invocation, Willis Chaney; presentation of graduates, Mrs. Audrey Neumeyer; address and presentation of diplomas, C. F. Scotten; benediction, Rev. D. F. Dillon; recessional, Ruth Evelyn Green.

Program Given

A program was presented by the following schools: Lovelace, Mrs. George Knox, teacher, song by Shirley Seigel, Velma Potter and Betty Thierfelder; play by Frances Seigel, Jo Ellen Seigel, John Cranfield and J. C. Maples and duet by Frances and Pete Seigel.

Olive Branch school, Miss Cora Brady, teacher, two musical numbers.

Brushy school, Miss Mabel Cook, teacher, play by Glenna Martin, Carolyn Monsees, Theresa Cook and Bonnie Boultemier; piano solo, Carolyn Monsees and song by school.

Salem school, Miss Edith Morgan, teacher, old fashioned square dance and dialogue.

Ringen school, Miss Hattie Rose Ellison, teacher, piano solo, Lois Eichholz and duet, Shirley Eichholz and Sylvan Demand.

Arator school, Mrs. Blanch Gilmore, teacher, play by Vincent Youngkamp, Ann Curtis, June Curtis, Evelyn Brereton, Omer Cramer and George K. Lacey and solo by Barbara Lee Todd.

White school, Mrs. William Finley, teacher, piano duet, Gertrude R. Green and Phillip Imhauser and violin solo by Matt Green.

Sponsors of the program were Home Economics clubs, Smithton, of which Mrs. Orville Demand and Mrs. William Yeager are presidents, with the committee composed of Mrs. Raymond Kahr, Mrs. Audrey Neumeyer, Mrs. Kalo Monsees, Mrs. B. B. Ihrig and Mrs. Harry Taylor.

Club Meeting At a Home

Stokley Extension club met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Eva Hansbrough in LaMonte for a covered dish dinner and business meeting.

Mrs. Guy Ballew, president, presided over the business session. Mrs. Archie Grimes, Jr., read the devotional, and roll call was answered by telling "What I Do With My Spare Time." Letters were read by Mrs. Higgins Warren and poems by Mrs. W. A. Means and Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Jim Greer and Mrs. E. F. Patterson gave demonstrations of bookend and flower pictures made of felt. Miss Dorothy Bacon gave suggestions for use of felt.

The club will have a supper for 15 service men the evening of April 28.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. F. Patterson.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, one week, 80¢.

Notice of Sedalia's Barber Shops

Opening and Closing Hours

Effective Saturday, April 15, 1944, all barber shops in Sedalia will observe the following hours:

Open 8:00 a. m.—Close 6:00 p. m. Weekdays.
Open 8:00 a. m.—Close 8:30 p. m. Saturdays.

LOANS FOR ALL PURPOSES

at reasonable rates on automobiles, household goods, co-makers and approved securities.

We can loan any amount Payments arranged in weekly semi-monthly or monthly installments.

Consolidate all your obligations into one account with us. Make your needs known to us.

THE BUDGET PLAN

INDUSTRIAL LOAN CO.

122 E. 2nd St. Phone 498

The Ace of Aces



Capt. Richard I. Bong, 23-year-old Poplar, Wisc., farmboy who shot down his 26th and 27th planes in the Southwest Pacific on April 12 to become America's all-time "Ace of Aces" stands beside his P-38 pointing to the portrait of his sweetheart, Marge Battendahl of Superior, Wisc., which adorns the flier's plane. (NEA Telephoto)

Society

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Reed and daughter, Rose Marie, 1317 East Broadway, entertained the following guests at dinner Wednesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Antes of Kansas City and Mrs. Antes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Conn of Sedalia, and Pfc. Ricky Passerell of Sedalia Army Air Field.

Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, received a letter from Pvt. Harry L. Burford, a member of his congregation, who is now stationed in England, part of which reads: "I ran into a fellow a few weeks ago I knew back home. He's a gunner over here and has flown several missions over Germany. It sure seemed good to see someone from home and to talk over old times. We both went with the same girl in Marshall for sometime before we were married. Now we run into each other 3,000 miles from home."

Miss Mable Roberts was guest of honor at a birthday party given by Mrs. R. R. Conn at her home 820 West Third street Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

Awards in the games were won by Jo Ann Summers, Barbara Tweet, and Mable Roberts.

A beautifully decorated birthday cake formed the centerpiece of the dining table.

Refreshments were served in the following: Jo Ann Summers, Bette Belle Dillard, Catherine Brown, Betty Brown, Eleanor Bess, Lila Morris, Barbara Tweet, Patricia Van Hoesen, Peggy Thomas, Betty Estes, Carolee Johnson and Mable Roberts.

The Army-Navy Wives party was held Wednesday afternoon at the USO with fourteen members present.

Mrs. Bert Feldman and Mrs. Sidney Roland were hostesses and the afternoon was spent in playing Liverpool rummy with the award going to Mrs. Sam Smith.

Refreshments were served in the late afternoon.

The next meeting will be Wednesday evening, April 19 at 7:30 o'clock to which the husbands are also invited.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

A. L. Jordon, 1305 East Third street in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Jordon's father, W. W. Smith.

Those attending were Billy Lee Smith, Lucille Benedict, Mrs. Carol Lee Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson and children, Carolyn Kay and Jimmie Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jordon and daughter, Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Antes of Kansas City and Mrs. Antes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Conn of Sedalia, and Pfc. Ricky Passerell of Sedalia Army Air Field.

The Buddies Sunday school class of the East Sedalia Baptist church had its monthly meeting at the home of Miss Dorothy Decker, 1202 East Broadway recently.

The meeting was opened with a short business session after which games were played.

Members present were Misses Betty Guymon, Beverly Whitfield, June Cramer, Mabel Early, Ruth Cawley, Norma Eirls, Dorothy Decker, and the class teacher, Mrs. Bert Farley. A visitor was Mrs. Ethel Eirls and daughter, Mrs. Orval Decker served as hostess and served refreshments. Gifts from Sunshine Pals were opened.

The Buddies Sunday school class of the East Sedalia Baptist church had its monthly meeting at the home of Miss Dorothy Decker, 1202 East Broadway recently.

The meeting was opened with a short business session after which games were played.

Members present were Misses Betty Guymon, Beverly Whitfield, June Cramer, Mabel Early, Ruth Cawley, Norma Eirls, Dorothy Decker, and the class teacher, Mrs. Bert Farley. A visitor was Mrs. Ethel Eirls and daughter, Mrs. Orval Decker served as hostess and served refreshments. Gifts from Sunshine Pals were opened.

SPRING SUIT and COAT CLEARANCE

20 SUITS \$10.00

10 SUITS \$15.00

5 SUITS \$20.00

All Spring Coats Reduced

\$5 DRESS SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday

LOCKETT'S
124 So. Ohio
SEDALIA

YOU GET FINER, FRESHER FLAVOR WHEN YOU CHOOSE

AMERICA'S BEST LIKED COFFEE!

GET ALL THE COFFEE PLEASURE FOR WHICH YOU ARE PAYING!

Change now to A&P Coffee... flavor-favorite of the nation year after year.

You see, A&P Coffee is the pick of plantations... roasted to flavor peak... and rushed to you, in the flavor-sealed bean. Then it's Custom Ground exactly right for your own coffee pot! That's why you get finer, fresher coffee in every cup! No coffee pre-ground days or weeks before it's sold can hope to match the delicious flavor of this really fresh coffee!

Switch to A&P Coffee today! There's a blend to suit your taste! And remember... there is no finer coffee in any package at any price!

There's a reason for this amazing popularity
— IT'S THE FLAVOR IN THE CUP!



VIGOROUS and WINY

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

1 lb. 47¢

Bags

HAVE ANOTHER CUP

2 lb. 51¢

Additional
Churches

EAST BROADWAY CHURCH, 1220 East Broadway. Rev. J. W. Watts, minister; Miss Beulah Hodges, director of music and W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school. Bible school at 9:45; morning worship and holy communion at 10:45. "Life's Deepest Law" will be the sermon subject. Miss Virginia Williams will play a violin solo. Regular preaching services at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. "Highways of History" will be the sermon subject. There will be special music.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Adult Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Divine service at 10:30 a. m. Theme of sermon: "The Benediction of the Risen Lord." Meeting of Voters' Assembly at 2:00 p. m. No evening service.

Warrensburg Flyer
One Of Rescued

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—(P)—The names of 16 men rescued 44 hours after their twin-engine navy patrol plane was forced down at sea and sank 300 miles southwest of San Francisco Tuesday were announced Thursday by the 12th Naval district.

The plane was enroute to the Hawaiian islands when one engine developed fuel line trouble. The radio quit after the landing position had been signalled.

The 16 crewmen and one passenger abandoned the plane when it started to sink and climbed aboard three life rafts which they lashed together.

The men were located last night by a navy patrol plane and picked up unharmed within an hour by a destroyer.

Lt. R. W. Briggs, 1608 East Blvd., Duluth, Minn., piloted the plane. Among those rescued with Briggs was Ensign J. B. Courtney, third pilot, Warrensburg, Mo.

Courtney is a nephew of Mrs. Ed F. Hayes, 525 South Lafayette avenue, and he visited here last February 15, while on a leave. He has often visited here and has many friends.

Births ---

Daughter, born to Lieut. and Mrs. Tom Rodgers, at Austin, Texas, on March 22. The baby has been named Patricia Ann. Lieut. Rodgers is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas, and is in the Engineering Corps. Mrs. Rodgers is the former Miss Kathryn McGrath of Hammond, Ind., and is a niece of William Sullivan and Miss Helen Sullivan of Route 6, Sedalia.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lyne of La Monte at 7:40 o'clock Thursday night at Bothwell hospital.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oswald of Omaha, Neb., at the Immanuel hospital in that city on April 9. The baby has been named Robert Louis. Mr. Oswald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Oswald, 1506 South Monteau avenue.

Sedalians Who Will Attend Convention

Sedalians who will attend the state convention of the Business and Professional Women's club which will be held in Kansas City Saturday and Sunday are Miss Eva Evans, president of the Sedalia club, Miss Hazel Palmer, Mrs. Frank Wagner, Miss Lois Fricke, Mrs. Josephine Miller, Miss Juanita Young, Miss Freda Mueller, Mrs. Ruth Riley, Miss Bertha Rose, Mrs. W. H. Bond, Miss Pearl Rose, Miss Verona Neumeyer and Miss Ruth Fults.



Faster Service for busy men



Business men will enjoy our fast, modern service. No delay, no waste of precious time. Good food in a hurry.

Hotel Bothwell

P. E. GOSSER, Mgr.

Personals

No Further Word
Of Lt. Dickman

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dickman, 922 East Ninth street, whose son, Lieut. Charles William Dickman, was reported missing in action over Germany February 24, have heard nothing official since the message from the war department, received March 10, and a letter following which merely stated he was missing and any information received would immediately be forwarded, and a letter from his chaplain.

About four days before Mr. and Mrs. Dickman received the government telegram stating he was missing, they had received a letter from Lieut. Francis Stetson, a friend of Lieut. Dickman, stating their son's plane had been shot down, but that all members of the crew were known to have parachuted out. He felt sure they were safe, probably war prisoners.

Walter A. Dawson, who is in the Merchant Marine, is on an eighteen day leave which he is spending with his wife, who resides at 624 East Fifth street.

Rev. J. Kenneth Coughlin of Tulsa, Okla., will return to that place tonight after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Coughlin, 901 West Sixth street.

Mrs. Robert Weiting, 731 East Fifth street, will go to Maine where she will visit her husband who is in service and is stationed there.

Mrs. Kenneth Shirley, 1208 South Lamine avenue, has returned home from Gainsville, Texas, where she has been visiting her husband, Pvt. Kenneth Shirley, who is stationed there.

Mrs. D. A. Myers and daughter, Gretchen, have returned to their home in Moberly after a visit of several days with Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Cora A. Thomas, 1201 South Ohio avenue.

Allied Air Offensive Continues

(Continued From Page One) force gunners and pilots winging from Italy to hamper a Messerschmitt plant at Gyor, 70 miles northwest of Budapest, at nearby railway car shops and machine plants, the airfield and assembly plant at Tokol 11 miles southwest of Budapest and another airdrome 10 miles from the capital. The 15th air force also bombed railway targets in Yugoslavia. Probably 500 bombers and as many fighters flew from Italian bases on these raids.

Raked Coastal Area

Other Allied bombers raked the invasion coastal area during the day.

The Germans sent "a small number" of planes over southeast England, Essex and the home counties, with some penetrating to London, it was announced authoritatively, and "a small number of casualties were reported." At least two planes were downed.

London greeted the raiders with an unprecedented number of searchlights, apparently part of a surprise defense. Several high explosives were dropped on the edges of the capital.

Connecticut Will Honor its Governor

HARTFORD, Conn., April 14.—(P)—The Connecticut Republican convention unanimously adopted today a resolution that the name of Governor Raymond E. Baldwin be presented to the national convention "for consideration as nominee for president of the United States."

War Spending Reaches Peak

WASHINGTON, April 14.—(P)—Governmental war spending reached a new peak of \$7,948,000,000 in March, an increase of 1.8 per cent over the previous record month of February and brought the total outlay for war to \$176,500,000,000 from the start of the defense program on July 1, 1940. The war production board released the figures.

Lieut. Roosevelt Will Go Into Active Duty

MIAMI, Fla., April 14.—(P)—Lieut. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., is planning to put to sea shortly and officers said he was awarded a command of a patrol craft.

The president's third son completed a six-week course at the sub chaser training center yesterday and officers said he was awarded a command on the basis of a very creditable record.

Buy New County Home

LAWRENCE, Kas., April 14.—(P)—Douglas county commissioners today purchased a two-story, 30-room brick house in West Lawrence to replace the county home destroyed by fire Thursday with the loss of eight lives.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Walter Henderson, Sedalia and Minnie Finley, Sedalia.

Marvin E. Whitten, Monticello, Ark., and Wanda V. Sisson, Glen-

dale, Calif.

Roy E. Chaney, Green Ridge and Lena M. Davis, San Fran-

cisco, Calif.

Marvin Sims, Sedalia, and Lu-

cille Petty, Sedalia.

Robert L. Cossel, Lincoln, Mo., and Helen Remer, Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickman, of Muskego, Okla., arrived this morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lennartz, and other relatives. Mrs. Lennartz, who suffered injuries in a fall recently, will be bedfast for some time.

Mrs. Robert H. Wieting of 905 East Sixth street, left Thursday night for Portland, Me., to join her husband a seaman 1/c who is on duty there.

Mrs. E. L. Ringen, 1220 East Seventh street and Mrs. H. B. Weir, 1500 East Ninth street, spent Thursday in Kansas City where they visited Mrs. Homer C. Modlin, 1530 East Sixth street, who is a patient in the Lakeview hospital in that city.

Walter A. Dawson, who is in the Merchant Marine, is on an eighteen day leave which he is spending with his wife, who resides at 624 East Fifth street.

Rev. J. Kenneth Coughlin of Tulsa, Okla., will return to that place tonight after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Coughlin, 901 West Sixth street.

Mrs. Robert Weiting, 731 East Fifth street, will go to Maine where she will visit her husband who is in service and is stationed there.

Mrs. Kenneth Shirley, 1208 South Lamine avenue, has returned home from Gainsville, Texas, where she has been visiting her husband, Pvt. Kenneth Shirley, who is stationed there.

Mrs. D. A. Myers and daughter, Gretchen, have returned to their home in Moberly after a visit of several days with Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Cora A. Thomas, 1201 South Ohio avenue.

Boy on Wheel Hit by Car

Leo Eickhoff, Jr., 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eickhoff, 705 West Fifth street, was slightly injured early Thursday evening when he was struck by a car, while riding his bicycle near the intersection of Ninth street and Grand avenue, according to a report made to police by his father.

The boy said there were two occupants, a man and woman, in the car, a blue sedan, and that the former was driving. After the collision, the motorist stopped and finding that young Eickhoff apparently was not seriously hurt, took his name, and then drove on.

The bicyclist, who was not knocked from his wheel, regained control of it after the impact, suffered bruises about the right side of his head and shoulder and a sprained hand. However, he was able to attend his classes to day in the sixth grade at Mark Twain school.

The driver of the car made no report to the police.

The accident happened shortly before 7:30 o'clock.

Critics Are Provoked At Draft Orders

(Continued from Page One).

country follow the European pattern where men are drafted by age groups and each knows without confusion when its turn is arriving?

Draft Problem Fogged

General Marshall, however, said in his letter: "Legislation which would compel the drafting of men by age groups or upon other artificial standards would threaten the orderly flow of the nation's military manpower in the armed forces."

But now the draft is finally by age group, at least for those 18 through 25. After that group is taken, it is not clear that the next group, say 26-30, will be cleaned out before men over 31 are taken.

The whole draft problem has been fogged by home front fighting from the beginning, with congress throwing plenty of blocks in the army's way.

There was the pre-Pearl Harbor fight in congress to abandon the peace time draft. It escaped being sacked by a squeak. Drafted men over 28 were allowed to leave the army.

After Pearl Harbor there was the fight—it hasn't ended yet—over the word "essential." Who is, who isn't.

All through 1942 the country was torn by the battle over the poster draft. That's still a subject of controversy.

Fight Still On

Almost a year after Pearl Harbor the army discovered—after taking men up to 45—that those over 38 just didn't make good soldiers. It refused any more of them, but kept taking men approaching 38.

Then the army and navy plumped for a national labor draft to control workers in their jobs. That fight's still going on.

It seems to have dwindled, though, to talk of legislating about 4-F's, forcing them into essential jobs or into the army.

Last December 11 selective service draft boards to delay drafting fathers. But on March 16 Draft Director Lewis B. Hershey was calling on the boards to draft fathers.

In February the armed forces were screaming because draft boards were falling behind in their quotas. By April 6 the armed services were telling draft boards to grab up the 18-26 men even if it meant neglecting quotas.

Plan Iron Rule For Germany

By Wes Gallagher

LONDON, April 14.—(P)—Defeated Germany will be governed by a joint American-British-Russian "Allied military government with teeth in it," a reliable source of information said.

Students, she said, were often started during study periods by weird cat-calls from outside the building.

The climax came March 28 while Mrs. Pauline Rebel, the teacher, was giving an arithmetic test.

Weird Happenings

On that day, Ismarie declared,

paper on which the children were writing caught fire in their hands and books in their desks suddenly started to burn. This was followed by an explosion of the dictionary and bombardment of the interior of the schoolroom by chunks of lignite coal which leaped from the coal scuttle next to the stove with explosive force great enough to punch holes through plastered walls.

Meanwhile, special assistant

State Attorney General W. James Austin began a search for a crackpot arsonist with at least a smattering of chemical knowledge or a hoaxter.

"We don't believe in bewitching," said Austin.

"We are looking for either a crackpot arsonist with at least a smattering of chemical knowledge or a hoaxter who, so far, has been singularly unsuccessful with his hoaxing."

Seven delegates-at-large are to be elected later in the day at the general state convention session which will ratify the district convention nominations.

Gov. Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut, advanced today by the Republican state convention at Hartford as a G. O. P. presidential possibility, appealed to the American people to join the Republican party in its "great crusade for a new birth of freedom."

The Japanese previously had been reported penetrating west of the road both north and south of Imphal but had not been encountered before on the trail leading to Silchar, 70 miles west of Imphal and the terminus of a spur line from the Bengal-Assam railway. Bishenpur is 17 miles southwest of Imphal.

Mountbatten himself was disclosed to have paid a visit to the Imphal front to get a first-hand view of the confused situation where the British are fighting the infiltration tactics of the enemy. The commander-in-chief visited the Manipur capital Saturday and held a conference with the local commander.

Meanwhile, a new outbreak on the Arakan front in which the Japanese suffered 700 killed in a week of fighting around Butchendau where the British are trying to get control of the Mayo range for an attack on Akyab was announced. The communiqué said the Japanese attacked both southwest and north of Butchendau and made a slight penetration, but were counterattacked.

Junge, state representative from Benton county, is the first announced candidate for the senate seat George H. Miller, Sedalia Republican, is giving up to run for attorney general. He was one of nine avowed candidates for the GOP lieutenant governorship nomination, although only six of them had filed formally.

R. C. Lippard Addresses Clinton Rotary Club

Ray C. Lippard, district manager for the Automobile Club of Missouri, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Clinton Rotary club in Clinton, Thursday.

He spoke on "The AAA, Emblem

of Service."

Business men will

enjoy our fast, modern

service. No delay, no waste of

precious time. Good

food in a hurry.

Junge Changes Political Goal

JEFFERSON CITY, April 14.—(P)—C. P. (Chinc) Junge of Cole Camp dropped off from the crowded Republican race for lieutenant governor today and filed for the GOP nomination for state senator from the 15th district.

Junge, state representative from

Benton county, is the first an-

nounced candidate for the senate

seat George H. Miller, Sedalia Re-

publican, is giving up to run for

attorney general. He was one of

nine avowed candidates for



ACME
Printing and
Stationery Co.
211 So. Lamine
Phone 16

Sedalia
WATER COMPANY

Your Public Servant for Years

S. P. Johns
and Sons
Lumber - Building
Materials - DuPont Paint

100 W. 2nd Phone 11

YOUR SUNDAY BEST
Will Look Best if it is
Cleaned by

Acme Cleaners
BOB OVERSTREET
106 W. 5th St. Phone 940

Middleton
Storage Co.

STORAGE OF ALL KINDS
MOVING - TRANSFER

Big enough to serve you—
Not too big to know you!
118 So. Lamine Phone 946

Smithton
Creamery Co.
SMITHTON, MO.

"There is No Substitute
For Good Butter"

THE LANDMANN
TRACT & TITLE CO.
EMILE LANDMANN—Pres.
JOHN W. BAKER—Secretary
112 W. 4th St. Phone 51

CONNOR-WAGONER
INC.

"Style Without
Extravagance"
414 So. Ohio

C. H. Heymen
Monument Co.

Over 61 Years of
Satisfactory Dealings
100 West Pacific Phone 397

Bichsel
Jewelry Co.

Dealers in Jewelry
and Fine Diamonds
Since 1868
217 So. Ohio Phone 822

Bagby
Poultry Farm

Golden Rule Chicks
318 West Second Phone 975

JOHN MILLER
UPHOLSTERING SHOP

613 So. Engineer
Phone 2295

Sunday School Lesson

Paul's Indefatigable Energy Becomes an Example of Tenacity of Purpose. Text: Acts 9:19-30; 11:25, 26

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

Paul was a born propagandist. Whatever he believed, he believed with intensity and with the power of his whole being. That is as it ought to be. Propaganda is a right and proper thing if it is devoted to noble ends. The kind of propaganda that we rightly resent is the sham propaganda that by some sort of subterfuge tries to get something across while professing to do something else.

Paul, in his pre-Christian days, was a narrow propagandist. His mind was closed to the fact that men who differed from him might be right. He was honest and zealous; but he was a persecutor, because he had not learned that a truly honest and right-minded propagandist must be as willing to let others propagate their opinions.

When Paul became a Christian he continued to be as zealous and earnest a propagandist as before, but his heart now was filled with love.

As I have remarked before, Paul in his persecuting zeal was as untrue to the highest teaching of Judaism as to the ways and teachings of Christianity. The Old Testament that he knew and loved ought to have taught him a better way. But he did learn to see how that better way was enshrined in the religion of his childhood and youth, when he came to know Christ. "After the way that they call heresy," he said, "so worship I the God of my fathers."

It is remarkable what great tasks have been accomplished by men and women who were slow of speech and sometimes unpossessing in presence. Their powers lay in indefatigable energy and in the consistency and tenacity with which they never let go. Their cause and their purpose dominated them.

Paul had such people and such experiences in mind when he spoke of God as choosing the weak to confound the mighty.

Attend Your Church

TRINITY LUTHERAN (United Lutheran Church in America) Church in America) choir. B. T. U. at 6:30 p. m. Tenth and Osage. Samuel W. Jensen, pastor. Friday, 7:30 p. m. Church Council meets at the parsonage. Sunday, 9:30 a. m. church school, Elmer Fingland, superintendent. A class for all ages, 10:45 a. m. first Sunday after Easter. Worship and sermon: "Rebuilding the Faith." Monday through Thursday noon, seventy-sixth convention of the Kansas Synod in Kansas City, Mo.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD, at Sixth and Emmett streets. Rev. Charles M. Aruckle, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. W. Schultz, superintendent. Classes for all ages. Morning worship at 11:00. Sermon by the pastor. The Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Luckey, the district president of the P. Y. P. A. will be with us Sunday. The Rev. Luckey will speak for the young people at 6:30 p. m. and will also be the speaker Sunday night at the services beginning at 7:45. There will be the regular services each Friday at 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN, corner Sixth and Osage. Robert C. Williamson, D. D. minister; Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent of Sunday school; A. M. Hoffman, assistant superintendent; Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and director of music. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship hour, 10:30. Sermon topic: "A Vital Comradeship." Junior sermon: "Not Afraid." Anthem by the choir. Duet by Miss Frances Meyer and Miss Mary Helen Meyer.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway at Kentucky. Herman M. Janssen, pastor; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, music director; Miss Marian Smith, organist. Church school, 9:45 a. m. Clyde Heynen, general superintendent. Study classes for all age groups. All invited. Service of worship, 10:45 a. m. Nursery for little children in the Service building. Newly elected Elders will be ordained and installed, and newly elected Trustees installed, at Sunday's service. The pastor's sermon subject will be "That Good Thing Guard" (Text, II Timothy 1:14). Junior message, "The Fun of Giving" (Text, Acts 20:35). Boy Scout meeting Monday evening. Prayer hour, 7:30. Wednesday evening. The Sedalia Presbytery and the Sedalia Presbytery will hold their Spring meetings at the church on Friday.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth street. Rev. G. M. Vriezaelaar, pastor. Mid-week services are conducted every Tuesday and Friday evenings. Tuesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening evangelistic service. Sermon by pastor. Choir practice. Lord's day services: 9:45 Sunday school. Brother Trotter, superintendent. A class for every age. Spiritual teachers, 11:00 morning worship hour. Sermon by pastor. 6:45 Young People's Overcomers service. Brother Jerome Murry, president. Come and join the contest. Bring your Bibles. 7:45 evangelistic service. Sermon by pastor. Choir and orchestra having part in this rally service.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. O. E. Palmer, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30 a. m. Sermon subject: "The Glory of Service." Junior League 7:00 p. m. in the chapel. Evening worship 8:00 p. m. Sermon subject "Christ the Liberator."

FREE METHODIST, Thirteenth and Marvin. Rev. Paul W. Willard, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Miss Dorothy Orcutt, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45, pastor in charge. Young people's service at 7:15. Evening worship at 8:00. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00. Cottage prayer meeting tonight will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalfant, Knob Noster.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth street. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Elmo Lingle, general superintendent. Preaching service at 10:30. Rev. Hallie Rice of Independence, Mo., will preach both morning and evening serv-

Religious Remarkables



The Duty of Service

We talk of the better world to come; but what we are really hoping is that men will be better; will shake off the bonds of selfishness and lethargy, and accept their responsibility as true sons of God. It is this acceptance of duty—the duty of service to mankind in general—that alone will lift the world out of darkness and defeat.

The happiness of a family is woven out of the mutual love, sympathy, and sacrifice of its members. Children laugh because there are mothers who make laughter possible. They grow strong in body and mind because there are fathers who make that their responsibility. But what of the mammoth family that is the nation, the whole world?

All the protection that science affords, the rich variety of material blessings we enjoy, can be traced to men who had the sense of responsibility, who studied, toiled, persevered, even died, that mankind should suffer a little less, perhaps, or count one more in its store of treasures.

What we have is not enough. It is not enough because what the world needs more than anything else is universal understanding and good will. It wants a peace built on a lasting foundation of justice. It wants assurance that none will be denied security or opportunity. It wants something that can be wrought not out of the courage, devotion, and selfishness of a few, but of millions of little people everywhere. It wants service, which is the voice and deed of love, and the promise of the Kingdom of God.

Go To Church This Sunday

This Feature Sponsored By
The National Council of Christians and Jews

Program at Walnut Grove

Numbers by
Physical Education,
Music Department

privileges of the reading room located in the same building entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00, except Sunday and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible, and writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

SACRED HEART CHURCH, Rev. Father A. J. Brunswick, pastor; Sunday masses 6, 8, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Weekday masses 7:30 and 8:15 a. m. Evening services 7:30 Friday and Sunday.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH, Spring Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock on the second and fourth and fifth Sundays. And at 10 on the first and third Sunday and on Holy days. Hours for all masses advanced one hour during the summer months.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Seventeenth St. and Harrison avenue. Rev. E. S. Brummett, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

ST. PATRICK—Sunday masses: 6:30, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m. Weekday mass 8:00 a. m. Novena services 7:30 o'clock every Tuesday night. Rev. A. J. Biter, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Probation After Death" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, on Sunday, April 23, 1944.

Golden Text: I Corinthians 15:26. The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power" (Rev. 20:6 to 10).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Death will occur on the next plane of existence as on this, until the spiritual understanding of Life is reached. Then, and not until then, will it be demonstrated that 'the second death hath no power'" (p. 77).

Scene VII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene VIII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle Doo," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene IX (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene X (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XI (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XIII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XIV (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XV (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XVI (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XVII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XVIII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XVIX (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XX (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXI (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXIII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXIV (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXV (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXVI (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXVII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXVIII (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne Eckles, Donald Riley and Jimmie Tabben; "Spanish Isle," guitar and piano; "Goodbye Old Mexico," Donald Riley; "El Rancho Grande," guitars, Dorothy Snow and Ruth Harvey.

Scene XXIX (Humorous)—"Yankee Doodle," trumpet; "Yankee Doodle Aint Doodlin' Now," guitar and piano, Warne

I—Announcements

7—Personals

SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily Phone 2405.

WATKINS DEALER — Cain at Hutchinson's, 804 West Third. Plant dust.

WILL RECEIVE BIDS — painting 800 West 7th, 912 West 5 to April 15th. J. W. Menefee.

IF AGED AND IN NEED of a home call in person at 808 West Sixth or Phone 528. Experienced care guaranteed.

PASSENGERS WANTED — to San Diego, California, share expenses, and help with driving. Phone 2156.

SELLING OUT? — Sell by Public Auction. Ralph Stuart, Auctioneer. Phone 69-F-23 Sedalia, Missouri. Route 4, Reverse Charges.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

STRAYED — Bay Mare. Call Nick Hall. Phone 2817.

LOST: Large tub, floated in rain, southeast part. Please return 1401 East 9th. Reward.

LOST: Purple hat, "Thursday" between 5th and Lamine and 6th and Ohio. Reward. Phone 2241.

LOST: ONE NAVY BLUE, and one red purse. Valuable papers, names Marjorie Baer, and Wilma Raughley. Reward. Phone 3376.

\$10.00 REWARD for information leading to the return of liver and white English Setter, male. Phone 2990 or 1907. Ray Williams.

LOST: Black and white English Shepherd dog, four white paws, white neck, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Reward. Will answer to "Cubby." Phone 676 or 3731-W. Reward.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

GOOD USED CARS — 15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.

1929 FORD COUPE, good tires, after 6 evenings. 1709 South Brown.

CHEVROLET 1940 — Special Deluxe, good condition. Pre-war tires. 2187 after 6.

1940 MASTER De Luxe Chevrolet, perfect condition. Phone 942 or 2196.

1939 PLYMOUTH — Tudor, 1940 Dodge tudor. Felix Sullivan. Phone 714.

1941 CHEVROLET Special Deluxe, 5 passenger coupe, radio, heater, good tires, trade, terms. Mrs. Dowding. Phone 2916.

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

INTERNATIONAL pickup, very clean, new tires. 2101 East Broadway.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires Parts

TIRES VULCANIZED — 24 hour service. Radiators backflushed. Special stove and light gasoline. Battery charging and rentals. Hunting and Fishing license. Open all day Sunday. Floral Tire and Battery Station, 16th and 65. Phone 3260. Sedalia, Mo.

16—Repairing—Service Stations

TRACTOR TIRES, truck tire, battery and lubrication service. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.

17—Wanted—Automotive

WANTED — late model car. Phone 2196.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.

SEWING MACHINE SERVICE — Adjusting, repair all makes. 225 South Kentucky.

WILL GRIND LAWNMOWERS — with electric machine. 703 Lafayette, Phone 3667.

MACHINE WORK — Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage Phone 766.

WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rolls, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.

PERMANENT WAVES — Machine \$4.00 up. Machineless \$4.50 up. Cold waves \$10.00 up. Only standard supplies used. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

TYPEWRITERS — REPAIRED — Sunstrand adding machines. Harry Tennyson, Agent. Underwood Elliott Fisher Products. Write Postal Card for Service owning out of town calls makes frequent absent from office. 500½ South Ohio, Sedalia, Mo.

SINGER — New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.

19—Building and Contracting

REPAIR — REMODEL HOMES — farms. For estimates call Tom Ware 2664.

24—Laundering

WANTED WASHINGS and ironings. 1611 South Kentucky.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY — Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

WANTED GIRL for housework. Apply 705 West 5th Street.

WAITRESS AND DISHWASHER — Apply Leiters Cafe, 112 West 5th.

GIRLS WANTED — Apply Dorn Clokey Dry Cleaning. White and colored.

HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to help on the home front. Good pay. Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company, Main and Grand.

33—Help Wanted—Male

MAN FOR garden work. Good wages. Pfeiffer Flower Shop.

MACHINIST, good salary, working conditions, permanent. Apply in person. Brown's Machine Shop, 321 West 2nd.

FILLING STATION OPERATOR — Also man for general filling station work. Must be able to change tires and answer road calls. Apply in person. Brown's Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.

WANTED MARRIED MAN to do tractor farming. Young man preferred, plenty of units. Must be experienced. Farm two miles East Ionia, 4 room house, all buildings new. A good job for right man. R. H. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 2993 after 9:30 p.m.

34—Help—Male and Female

HELP WANTED — men, women, apply in person. 120 West 2nd.

WANTED EXPERIENCED help. Waitress and kitchen. Kueck's, 625.

BOYS AND GIRLS — wanted to work at Garst Drive In. Also janitor. Call 1715.

CLERK 18 to 40. Permanent office work. Opportunity for advancement. Experience not necessary. Write Box "23" care Democrat.

USE Wards Farm Income Plan. WARD'S FARM STORE

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

CONCRETE MIXERS — \$31.50. Wards Farm Store.

ONE COLEMAN gasoline pressure range. 1718 West 7th.

OAK POSTS — write or call Harold Hill, Smithton.

ROAD AND CONCRETE gravel, Lawrence Keel. Phone 2197.

ELECTRIC WASHER — to trade for gasoline washer. Phone 331 after Sunday.

MINNOWS — We have them now. Floral Station, 16th and 65, Sedalia, Missouri.

ADDING MACHINE — and stand, office desk, counters, piano, wicker set. W. L. Jackson, Smithton. Phone 3331.

GARDEN HEADQUARTERS: Window glass, mirrors, glass shelves, glass for dressers, coffee tables, Show cases, store fronts, Dugans, Phone 142.

STOVES, MACHINES, rugs, chains, cans, tubs, trunks, paint, tools, lamps, cabinets, chests, clocks, toasters, swings, dishes, mowers, porch furniture. Store, 1207 Ingram. Phone 3355.

55—Farm and Dairy Products

GOAT MILK — and goats. Phone 2355.

GOAT MILK and New Zealand rabbits. Phone 2338.

HOG OILER — get rid of lice and pests with Wards hog oiler. Hog can even oil under flanks. \$4.65; automatic hog waterer float controls water level, up to 40 pound pressure attach to tank, barrel or direct system. \$3.25. Hog house, heavy construction, lifting lid allows sun to enter from either side. Easy to assemble. No nails required. \$36.00. Wards Farm Store.

55A—Farm Equipment

FARMALL REGULAR tractor, cultivator, plow, completely overhauled, recently. Phone 10-F-13.

U. C. ALLIS CHALMER tractor 3 bottom plow, 28x46 Rumley thresher. George Anderson. Phone 2003.

FENCING — RUSTPROOF Galvanized steel — most complete line in town. 39" — 32" with 12" stay; 32" — 26" with 6" stay; 48" — 60" 2" poultry netting; 6½ ft. 5 ft. steel posts; 110 volt — 6 volt fence control; 6 volt Willard batteries; 6 volt hot shot battery.

55B—Farm Equipment

IMPROVED 40 ACRES — possession. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

245 ACRES, 3 MILES southwest Green Ridge, good barn, 7 room house, poultry house, other buildings. Good fences, plenty of water supplied from deep well. 189 acres good crop land, balance pasture. Land lays exceptionally good. Price \$14,700.00. Easy terms if desired. Joseph J. Hampson, Post Office Box 383, Warrensburg, Missouri.

55C—Houses for Sale

FIVE ROOM house, 900 East 14th. Lights, water. Phone 33-F-23.

TWO HOUSES 1403-1405 South Moniteau. Immediate possession. Reasonable price.

STRICTLY MODERN — four rooms, full basement, stoker, garage, west, near Horace Mann school. Write PFC care Democrat.

OR TRADE — 6 rooms, 6 lots, for small house, 3 rooms, 4 lots for small farm or timber land. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

SUBURBAN IMPROVED — one acre, \$500 cash balance monthly. 3 rooms, 4 lots, 2 blocks from school. \$61 cash, balance \$30 per month, includes principal, interest and taxes, immediate possession. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE — modern, possession. Eight room house, 1½ baths, \$4,500. Six rooms house, 2 lots, ½ basement, \$4,000. E. H. McLaughlin, Porter Real Estate Co.

55D—Lots for Sale

LOT 3 AND 4 — block 1, McVees third addition. Nice building site. Good community. East Broadway. Phone 2887-W.

62—Musical Merchandise

PIANO, mahogany, excellent tone. Phone 2985.

GOOD PIANO for sale. Phone 2851.

55E—Wanted—Real Estate

DEMOCRAT-CAPITAL CLASS ADS get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

MEXSANA
SOOTHING MEDICATED POWDER

Dedication Of New Armory On April 30

Officers And Men
From Several
Cities Will Attend

MEN'S WORK SHOES
Black calf, corded soles and
rubber heels \$3.98 a pair
Brown horsehide, leather
soles \$4.50 a pair
DEMAND SHOE STORE
105 West 5th St. Downstairs

1944 Estimated
Income Tax
Filing Must be Made by
April 15th

For Information Call
GUY PEABODY
310½ So. Ohio Phone 302

CALL BESS

TIRE & BATTERY

124 W. 3rd St.
(Northeast Corner 3rd and
Osage)

For Your Needs in

New Tires-Tubes — Batteries

Tire changing and
Tire and Tube
Repair and Vulcanizing

Phone 3400
Bess Tire & Battery

TRUE STEP



for fashionable SIDE view

**WALLED
LASTS**

\$4.95



THE WAKE

Black Crushed Kid,
Black Calf and Army Russet Calf.

The walled last has built up a smart reputation.

Look at these—try them—and you'll see why. For
they've lots of toe room, and also heel snugness.

Rosenthal's

OLDSMOBILE-CADILLAC-G. M. C. TRUCKS

MASSEY-HARRIS TRACTORS
IMPLEMENT-REPAIR PARTS

Pettis County Motor Co.

224-226 Osage Phone 71-305

Complete Abstracts of Title

to all Lands in Pettis County

THE LANDMANN ABSTRACT AND TITLE CO.

Telephone 51-112 West Fourth Street

John W. Baker, Secretary

EYES AND JOBS
Industrial surveys reveal that visual skills rank high among the
skills required for competence and efficiency on the job. Have you
had your eyes examined lately?

Dr. Geo. T. Lively—Dr. Lawrence S. Geiger
OPTOMETRISTS

Herbert A. Seifert, Optician

116 E. Third St. Sedalia, Mo.



McLaughlin
Brothers
Funeral Chapel
519 South Ohio St.
Phone 8, Sedalia

Three
generations of
McLaughlins
have Served
the people of
Sedalia

Missouri's Big Four to National Convention



Missouri Republicans elected four delegates-at-large to the national convention of the party, April 12 in St. Louis. They are from left: John T. Opie, Kansas City; Mrs. Gladys B. Stewart, Ava; A. D. Welsh, St. Louis and William A. Morant, St. Louis. (AP Photo)

correspond to those on the east.

In the pad-locked supply rooms are guns, all types of clothing, ammunition and all other supplies used by the guard. In the west garage are the company station wagon and trailer, owned by Sgt. Leslie Hale. The trailer, which can be converted into a double bed, was constructed by Hale. Another prize article of equipment is the ground stove, made for outdoor cooking on a large scale.

Lecture Room On Second Floor

A larger lecture room on the second floor over the south portion of the building is used by the American Legion for its meetings and also for showing of motion pictures to the men of the guard.

Both lecture rooms are amply filled with chairs.

On the east wall of the lower lecture room is a colored map of Missouri, outlining all the battalions and regiments of the state guard, which was painted by Sgt. Hale. As one enters the building from the south, a large state guard symbol is seen on the floor of the entrance in full colors, giving the symbols of the four wars in which the organization has participated—Indian war, 1867; Spanish-American, 1898; Mexican, 1916; and World War I, 1917. This also was painted by the Company F artist, free-hand.

The building is heated by an automatic gas furnace. An automatic water heater supplies hot water for the nine shower baths.

Regimental Officers Coming

Present at the dedication will be men from Booneville, Warrensburg, Sedalia, Clinton, Windsor, Marshall and Columbia. Col. Rex P. Barrett, commanding officer of the Fourth Regiment, from headquarters in Columbia, will be present, with members of the state staff, and Maj. Vance Julian, of Clinton, commander of the second battalion.

The program, as outlined now, though plans are incomplete, will include the serving of mess to the visitors in army style at noon.

Sgt. O. W. Hall will be in charge of the preparation of the food.

At approximately one o'clock the men will assemble and will march in full battle dress, with bayonets fixed, down Ohio avenue to Main street, passing in review before the court house where the visiting officers from the staffs will be stationed. The SAAF band will lead the parade.

It is hoped that Gov. Forrest Donnell, who has been asked to appear as speaker, will be able to accept the invitation. If not some officer from state headquarters at Jefferson City will address the crowd at the dedication in the afternoon.

Mayor A. H. Wilks will deliver the opening address.

At a recent inspection by federal officers, it was impressed upon the local officers that the duties of the state guard organization will be heavily multiplied in the event of any sort of disaster at home during the struggle abroad. Capt. A. B. Burke has said that about ten more men are needed for the local company—men who are not likely to be drafted and who are willing to become members.

The present membership comprises 37 men and two officers, Capt. A. B. Burke and Lt. E. N. Reynolds.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

CALL 73
For Prompt Service
George Suter
PLUMBING & HEATING CO.
Northwest Corner 6th & Ohio

**Dependable
Prescription
Service**
**YUNKER-LIERMAN
DRUG CO.**
231 So. Ohio Phone 546

Top Medal To Capt. M. L. Britt

By George Tucker

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY IN Italy, April 14—(P)—News that Capt. Maurice L. Britt of Lone Oak, Ark., had been awarded the Congressional Medal of honor for conspicuous gallantry in action in Italy was greeted Thursday with deep satisfaction by the men of his division.

The war department announced in Washington the award to the 24-year-old former University of Arkansas football player who now is in Lawson general hospital, Atlanta, Ga., recuperating from the loss of his right arm, incurred in a battle after the one for which he was decorated.

The action in which Britt's gallantry figured so conspicuously was at Monte Rotondo, overlooking the town of Mignano, where Britt with 55 men beat off a brutal assault by a superior German force.

Armed with only a few machine-guns and mortars, Britt's force stopped the German assault; organized new positions; freed a number of previously captured Americans; saved his company from annihilation and prevented the Germans from cutting off an entire American battalion.

The building is heated by an automatic gas furnace. An automatic water heater supplies hot water for the nine shower baths.

Regimental Officers Coming

Present at the dedication will be men from Booneville, Warrensburg, Sedalia, Clinton, Windsor, Marshall and Columbia. Col. Rex P. Barrett, commanding officer of the Fourth Regiment, from headquarters in Columbia, will be present, with members of the state staff, and Maj. Vance Julian, of Clinton, commander of the second battalion.

The program, as outlined now, though plans are incomplete, will include the serving of mess to the visitors in army style at noon.

Sgt. O. W. Hall will be in charge of the preparation of the food.

At approximately one o'clock the men will assemble and will march in full battle dress, with bayonets fixed, down Ohio avenue to Main street, passing in review before the court house where the visiting officers from the staffs will be stationed. The SAAF band will lead the parade.

It is hoped that Gov. Forrest Donnell, who has been asked to appear as speaker, will be able to accept the invitation. If not some officer from state headquarters at Jefferson City will address the crowd at the dedication in the afternoon.

Mayor A. H. Wilks will deliver the opening address.

At a recent inspection by federal officers, it was impressed upon the local officers that the duties of the state guard organization will be heavily multiplied in the event of any sort of disaster at home during the struggle abroad. Capt. A. B. Burke has said that about ten more men are needed for the local company—men who are not likely to be drafted and who are willing to become members.

The present membership comprises 37 men and two officers, Capt. A. B. Burke and Lt. E. N. Reynolds.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

CALL 73
For Prompt Service
George Suter
PLUMBING & HEATING CO.
Northwest Corner 6th & Ohio

**Dependable
Prescription
Service**
**YUNKER-LIERMAN
DRUG CO.**
231 So. Ohio Phone 546

To Check Eating Places' Prices

All eating places in Pettis county will be checked on prices beginning next Monday, April 17, by the price panel assistants of the Pettis County War Price and Rationing Board. This is part of the national emergency survey which was carried on in the grocery stores of the county last month.

The managements of the eighty eating establishments in Pettis county are asked to cooperate in this survey by having copies of their menus and price lists available for the price panel assistants. These volunteer checkers will ask for copies of these menus and will also check the prices on certain food items served in all the eating places.

The types of establishments to be visited by the price panel assistants will be: restaurant, drug store, night club, drive-in, lunch counter, hotel, coffee shops and dining room, and specialty places such as serve barbecue and fried chicken only.

U. S. Casualties Now Total 178,681

WASHINGTON, April 14—(P)—American casualties in the war now total 178,681.

Secretary of War Stimson said Thursday army casualties reported through March 23 total 134,632. They represented 23,322 killed; 55,066 wounded; 28,014 missing; 28,230 prisoners.

Of the wounded, 28,977 have returned to duty. Of the prisoners 1,677 are reported by the enemy to have died of disease in prison camps, mostly in Japan-occupied territory.

The latest war casualty total is 44,049. Of these 18,749 are dead; 11,505 wounded; 9,374 missing; 4,421 prisoners.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Phone 1000

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Pimplies Disappeared Over Night

NEW YORK, April 14—(P)—Annie, the persistent penguin who almost starved herself to death last year when her egg failed to hatch, is a mother for the first time.

Now zoo attendants fear that Annie's maternal instinct, re-doubled since she hatched a homey chick yesterday, may lead her to attempt to kidnap two penguin chicks in an adjoining cage.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Phone 1000

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

**Open Bids for
Old Army Trucks**

KANSAS CITY, April 14—(P)—Twenty-five car dealers from over the mid-west, California, Minnesota and Colorado saw U. S. treasury officials open 750 bids for 636 antiquated army trucks.

But none of the bids can be accepted for ten days or more, and then they'll probably be accepted by the casting of lots, since nearly all the bids were at ceiling prices.

The U. S. forestry service already had claimed priority on 154, with the state of Nebraska taking 22 and Johnson county, Mo. 10.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

**Just Received
New Shipment**

**of
COSTUME
JEWELRY**

Bichsel
JEWELRY CO.

217 So. Ohio Phone 822
Est. 1868

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

THE SEDALIA WEEKLY DEMOCRAT

Democrat Established 1868

Volume 76

Serves the Liveliest and Most Productive Territory In Central Missouri

Twin Armadas Attack Five Aircraft Cities

British Based Planes Knock 76 Aircraft Down

By HOWARD COWAN
LONDON, April 13.—(AP)—At least 134 Nazi aircraft were destroyed today by fighter-pilots and bomber-guns of the U.S. Eighth, Ninth and 15th air forces in aerial warfare over broad European battlefronts.

British-based fighter pilots of the Eighth and Ninth nailed 51 on the wing and got at least 27 on the ground. Flying Fortresses and Liberator gunners from the European theater blasted 25 out of the air. The 15th claimed 31 Nazi planes shot down in the course of their offensive which was launched simultaneously from Italian bases.

By W. W. HERCHER
LONDON, Friday, April 14.—(P)—Great American air armadas totalling nearly 3,000 bombers and fighters from bases in both Britain and Italy smashed at the Axis by daylight yesterday and they had scarcely quit the skies before the RAF sent out another powerful force of heavy bombers to carry on the historic non-stop bombing of Europe.

The big British Lancasters and Halifaxes crossed the east coast during the night in a steady procession. These heavy weights were preceded by smaller RAF groups which headed toward the Reich even while some American units still were returning.

The U. S. daylight operations, in which a record number of 1,100 Britain-based fighters engaged, in addition to Fortresses and Liberators of the Eighth Air Force in Britain and the 15th Air Force in Italy, were directed at aircraft and industrial centers deep in southwestern Germany and in Hungary.

Between 500 and 750 heavy bombers from Britain plastered aircraft plant sat Augsburg and Oberpfaffenhofen, air force installations at Lechfeld and the big ball bearing works at Schweinfurt—all in Germany—while another strong force of perhaps 500 big bombers from Italian bases smashed a Messerschmitt factory at Györ about 70 miles northwest of Budapest.

A total of 36 U. S. heavy bombers and eight fighters failed to return to their British bases, the army announced. There was no further report on the operation of the Italian-based American planes, but the Budapest radio claimed that at least 24 aircraft were shot down over Hungarian territory.

The British-based arm of the two-way aerial assault produced the destruction of 76 German planes in air combat and other on the ground and achieved successful bombing results despite intense anti-aircraft fire and enemy fighter opposition, the army communiqué said.

A tremendously powerful fighter support was provided for the bombers flying from Britain, with more than 1,100 Mustangs, Thunderbolts and Lightnings of the U. S. Eighth and Ninth Air Forces in action.

Of the enemy planes shot down, the fighters accounted for 51, while the gunners on the bombers bagged 25. The fighter pilots also destroyed "a large number" of planes on the ground, the war bulletin said.

The Italy-based 15th Air Force bombers also attacked railway car shops and machine shops adjacent to Györ, and hit the Tokol airfield and assembly plant 11 miles southwest of Budapest and another airfield 10 miles southeast of the capital, as well as Yugoslav railway facilities.

Packs of German fighters arose to meet the bomber streams penetrating from the west and south, and furious air combats developed along the route. Between 750 and 1,000 fighters accompanied the Britain-based formations, and probably about 500 Lightnings and (Please turn to Page 4, Column 2)

Sneezing For Seven Days

MEMPHIS, April 13.—(P)—Hospital attendants tonight reported "unchanged" the condition of Mrs. Albert Sanders—which means that she is still sneezing almost constantly.

Mrs. Sanders of Jonesboro, Ark., has been sneezing since April 7. Cause of her rare ailment still hasn't been determined.

Mrs. Sanders' case is somewhat similar to that of another Arkansas woman, Miss Juanita Lollis of Clarksville, who attracted nation-wide attention four years ago by sneezing for 17 days straight.

Mechanics Work In Bad Weather

The completion of 30 crew chief stands for use on the line at the Sedalia Army Air Field during inclement weather has stepped up the maintenance of planes at the Troop Carrier base.

A plane can now be overhauled by mechanics who remain snug and dry under a covered platform that is wheeled out to fit neatly over the entire motor and propeller. The large, movable stand, at the right level for work on a motor, eliminates the problem of limited hangar space and allows repair work to continue despite bad weather conditions.

Expect Some Changes in City Employees

Republican Council May Replace Some Democrats Monday

Many Democratic appointive officeholders are looking for a "spring house cleaning," with the meeting of the new city council Monday night, April 17. At this session four new aldermen will take their seats in the council.

Elected city officers will be sworn in at this meeting, along with the councilmen. Those who take office are: Anson Finnell, Democrat, chief of police, succeeding H. "Zone" Anderson, Democrat; Charles P. Keck, Republican, city collector, succeeding R. F. Harris, Republican; Will M. Ugenfot, Republican, succeeding Frank T. Armstrong, Democrat, as city attorney; C. W. Bente, Democrat, succeeding himself as police judge; Mrs. George F. Boothe, Democrat, succeeding himself as treasurer; Ed L. Gordon, Democrat, city assessor, succeeding himself.

Aldermen taking office are: Frank Middleton, Republican, succeeding Emmet Sullivan, Democrat, first ward; Richard "Dick" Keenan, Republican, succeeding Elmer Summers, Democrat, second ward; John F. Taylor, Democrat, third ward; Leo Eickhoff, Republican, succeeding Robert "Bob" Overstreet, Democrat, fourth ward.

Firemen Usually Remain

With only one Democratic vote in the council, many of the appointive office holders on the Democratic side, have already put out "feelers" for other jobs. However, it is not expected a change will come in the Sedalia fire department personnel. This department is seldom changed because (Please Turn To Page 4 Col. 1)

Dr. M. E. Gouge Taken To St. Louis Hospital

Dr. M. E. Gouge, 1002½ South Massachusetts avenue, who has been ill, is in a serious condition and accompanied by Mrs. Gouge and his two sons, Lieut. Hardin Gouge of Fort Reno, Texas, and Dr. Robert Gouge of Sedalia was taken by the Gillespie ambulance to Barnes hospital, St. Louis, Thursday afternoon.

Sedilians at Republican Convention in St. Louis

Delegates attending the Republican State Convention from Sedalia held Wednesday at the Kiel Auditorium in St. Louis were: W. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brockman, E. L. Zoellig, Judge J. E. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Schilb, Mrs. W. L. Matthews, H. D. Dow and Ed Goetz of Smithton.

Another Shoe Stamp Be Valid On May 1

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—Airplane stamp 2 in war ration book three will become valid May 1 and remain good indefinitely for buying a pair of shoes.

Airplane stamp 1 in the same book, valid since last November, also good indefinitely. But L. Matthews, H. D. Dow and Ed Goetz of Smithton.

Free Loaders On Tarawa

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—Airplane stamp 2 in war ration book three will become valid May 1 and remain good indefinitely for buying a pair of shoes.

Airplane stamp 1 in the same book, valid since last November, also good indefinitely. But L. Matthews, H. D. Dow and Ed Goetz of Smithton.

To Check Eating Places' Prices

All eating places in Pettis county will be checked on prices beginning next Monday, April 17, by the price panel assistants of the Pettis County War Price and Rationing Board. This is part of the national emergency survey which was carried on in the grocery stores of the county last month.

The managements of the eighty eating establishments in Pettis county are asked to cooperate in this survey by having copies of their menus and price lists available for the price panel assistants. These volunteer checkers will ask for copies of these menus and will also check the prices on certain food items served in all the eating places.

The types of establishments to be visited by the price panel assistants will be: restaurant, drug store, night club, drive-in, lunch counter, hotel coffee shops and dining room, and specialty places such as serve barbecue and fried chicken only.

"Zoot Suits" Definitely Out

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—"Zoot suits" are out—and that goes for women, too, the war production board said today.

It doesn't take South Sea island folks long to pick up good old Yank customs from the fighters who drove the Jap invaders from their homelands. The photo shows natives on Tarawa using the old thumb with professional hitchhikers' technique as they seek free ride on approaching jeep.

Dedication Of New Armory On April 30

Officers And Men From Several Cities Will Attend

Sedalia's modern new armory, located between Osage and Ohio avenues and facing Ninth street, will be officially dedicated at an open-house program on the afternoon of Sunday, April 30. Three hundred men and officers from the second battalion and part of the first battalion will be on hand for the dedicatory event.

The spacious, all-stone structure, will be open to the public for inspection on that day. Many citizens will be most interested in seeing evidence of the vast amount of work that has gone into its construction.

Large Drill Floor

The main portion of the building, the drill floor, measuring 85 feet by 100 feet. This floor, with its markings for platoon wedge formation and other drilling maneuvers, is well-lighted by large bulbs in the circular ceiling. Here on Tuesday and Thursday nights the men of Sedalia's Co. F, Fourth Missouri Infantry, go through their regular drills and receive instructions in laying out of plans for guard duty, etc.

On the south side of the armory are located six offices and a small lecture room. On the east are a locker and shower room, a garage and a big supply room. The lockers, of steel, contain the field clothing and equipment for each man, including gas mask, tin hat and heavy shoes, ready at a moment's notice. Rooms on the west correspond to those on the east.

In the pad-locked supply rooms are guns, all types of clothing, ammunition and all other supplies used by the guard. In the west garage are the company station wagon and trailer, owned by Sgt. Leslie Hale. The trailer, which can be converted into a double bed, was constructed by Hale. Another prize article of equipment is the ground stove, made for outdoor cooking on a large scale.

Lecture Room On Second Floor

A larger lecture room on the second floor over the south portion of the building is used by the American Legion for its meetings and also for showing of motion pictures to the men of the guard. Both lecture rooms are amply filled with chairs.

On the east wall of the lower lecture room is a colored map of Missouri, outlining all the battalions and regiments of the state guard, which was painted by Sgt. Hale. As one enters the building from the south, a large state guard symbol is seen on the floor of the entrance in full colors, giving the symbols of the four wars in which the organization has participated—Indian war, 1867; Spanish-American, 1898; Mexican, 1916; and World War I, 1917. This also was painted by the Company F artist, free-hand.

The building is heated by an automatic gas furnace. An automatic water heater supplies hot (Please turn to Page 4, Column 3)

Another Shoe Stamp Be Valid On May 1

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—Airplane stamp 2 in war ration book three will become valid May 1 and remain good indefinitely for buying a pair of shoes.

Airplane stamp 1 in the same book, valid since last November, also good indefinitely. But L. Matthews, H. D. Dow and Ed Goetz of Smithton.

To Check Eating Places' Prices

All eating places in Pettis county will be checked on prices beginning next Monday, April 17, by the price panel assistants of the Pettis County War Price and Rationing Board. This is part of the national emergency survey which was carried on in the grocery stores of the county last month.

The managements of the eighty eating establishments in Pettis county are asked to cooperate in this survey by having copies of their menus and price lists available for the price panel assistants. These volunteer checkers will ask for copies of these menus and will also check the prices on certain food items served in all the eating places.

The types of establishments to be visited by the price panel assistants will be: restaurant, drug store, night club, drive-in, lunch counter, hotel coffee shops and dining room, and specialty places such as serve barbecue and fried chicken only.

"Zoot Suits" Definitely Out

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—"Zoot suits" are out—and that goes for women, too, the war production board said today.

It doesn't take South Sea island folks long to pick up good old Yank customs from the fighters who drove the Jap invaders from their homelands. The photo shows natives on Tarawa using the old thumb with professional hitchhikers' technique as they seek free ride on approaching jeep.

Deputy County Clerk Resigns

Mrs. Fannie Shores, 704 South Kentucky avenue, who for the past year and a half has been deputy county clerk under J. H. Green, county clerk, has resigned her position effective Saturday, April 15. Mr. Green Thursday announced the appointment of Miss Grace Farley, 1605 West Ninth street to succeed Mrs. Shores.

Miss Farley will assume her duties at the court house Monday, April 17.

For several years Miss Farley was a deputy county collector under the late J. B. "Doc" Greer and served for a year under Miss Hazel Palmer, who was appointed to succeed Mr. Greer following his death. After resigning her position with Miss Palmer, Miss Farley went with Elliott's where she has been employed since the middle of January.

Marriage License Issued

George J. Kneek, Jr., and Edwara M. Saville, both of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Walter Henderson, and Minnie Finley, Negroes both of Sedalia.

Policy To 'Get Tough' Looms

Move To Choke Off Neutral Trade With Germany

By EDWIN SHANKE

STOCKHOLM, April 13.—(P)—Britain and the United States demand a note delivered to the Swedish foreign office today that Sweden halt export to the Axis of ball bearings and the raw materials and machines used in making the bearings, it was disclosed to-night.

"U. S. Minister Herschel V. Johnson delivered the note. The diplomatic action was a direct follow up to Secretary of State Hull's recent warning to neutrals to quit trading with Germany and her Allies.

By ALEX H. SINGLETON

LONDON, April 13.—(P)—The United States and Britain—acting in concert before the opening of the western front to choke off neutral trade with Germany—called for a slowdown with Sweden tonight on that nation's export of war materials to the Reich.

This further demonstration of a new "get tough" policy swiftly followed protests against increased chrome shipments from Turkey to Germany and the seizure by Spain of Allied oil stocks at Tetuan, to New Caledonia.

Was In Combat Zone

On the ship he is a chief engineer. Though he has been in a combat zone, Hackler reports that all was quiet where his ship had been and that the only Japs he has seen are those in concentration camps in Australia. "I feel wonderful, but I just can't seem to stay too long in one place," he commented laughingly.

Approaching his 41st birthday next September, he and Mrs. Hackler have a son, ACT J. W. Hackler, Jr., who is also in the service, a training cadet in army aviation, who has been at Bakersfield, Calif. His father had intended to visit him on his return to California, but has learned that he is being transferred from there. He has been in the army 14 months.

Hackler will report for assignment again on May 3.

Minister Tells Of Africa

Experiences in Southwest Africa where he was born, was the subject of a talk by the Rev. S. Vanderveer, pastor of the Assembly of God church, before the Sedalia Kiwanis club meeting in Bothwell hotel Thursday noon.

The speaker, a member of the club, was introduced by George H. Scruton, presiding as program chairman in the absence of J. J. Donlon.

L. J. Banner, chairman of the inter club relations committee, called attention to the Kiwanis spring conference in Columbia next Tuesday which will be attended by Barnes hospital, St. Louis, Thursday afternoon.

The Berlin radio broadcast a (Please turn to Page 4, Column 2)

To Check Eating Places' Prices

All eating places in Pettis county will be checked on prices beginning next Monday, April 17, by the price panel assistants of the Pettis County War Price and Rationing Board. This is part of the national emergency survey which was carried on in the grocery stores of the county last month.

The managements of the eighty eating establishments in Pettis county are asked to cooperate in this survey by having copies of their menus and price lists available for the price panel assistants. These volunteer checkers will ask for copies of these menus and will also check the prices on certain food items served in all the eating places.

The types of establishments to be visited by the price panel assistants will be: restaurant, drug store, night club, drive-in, lunch counter, hotel coffee shops and dining room, and specialty places such as serve barbecue and fried chicken only.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Miss Bonnie Sharper, Smithton, and Mrs. T. R. Hayworth, 419 West Fourth street, admitted for surgery.

Miss Pauline Porter, 1613 South Harrison avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. Pollard Wood, and infant son, Beaman, dismissed.

Mrs. Harold Bernard, 405 West Fourth street and Mrs. Walter Ward and daughter, 1215 South Marshall avenue, have been dismissed.

Mrs. Mildred Ford, 1006 South Ohio avenue; Gibby Morgan, 1326 East Sixth street, and Mrs. Florence Rumsey, 416 East Twelfth street admitted for surgery.

It doesn't take South Sea island folks long to pick up good old Yank customs from the fighters who drove the Jap invaders from their homelands. The photo shows natives on Tarawa using the old thumb with professional hitchhikers' technique as they seek free ride on approaching jeep.

Zoot Suits" Definitely Out

WASHINGTON,

Post Office Employees Have Banquet

Honor Nine on Force Leaving Soon For Armed Forces

A banquet was given Monday evening at the First Christian church by the post office employees honoring the following men who expect to leave shortly for service with the armed forces: Louis Duff, Champ Richardson, Leslie Hackler, Ed Brummet, Ray Berry, Fred Brummet, Wesley Steele, Charles Ernest and Tom Gray.

Flowers and candles in red, white and blue on the tables carried out the patriotic motif.

About sixty postal employees and their wives attended and special guests were Mrs. Robert Scott and Mrs. Seigel Woodard, wives of men from that organization already in service.

Inocation was by James Weinrich, chaplain.

Ernest Holst acted as toasting master and stressed the point that these men were ready to fight for three liberties, civil liberties of which this organization is a part since they are government employees; religious liberties of which the church in which the banquet was held was symbolic, and intellectual, of which the schools are typical. Students from the Sedalia schools presented a musical program.

Program
Those taking part on the program were: Billy Warren Schenck playing three accordion solos, "Carroll," "Something About a Soldier" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic;" a violin solo by Rose Marie Reed, "Moonlight Madonna," and three numbers by the high school string quartet playing, "Two Guitars," "To a Wild Rose," and "In a Persian Market." Bette Barnett was the accompanist.

Mr. Holst said that the men going into service would intensify the manhunt and call for an even greater spirit of cooperation. He presented the postmaster, E. P. Mullaley who made a short talk in which he said it was an honor to be chosen to defend the country, to fight for the things they had had and the things that their children should have.

Responses were made by Fred Brummet and Champ Richardson from the carrier group and by Leslie Hackler for the clerks.

Glen Kirkpatrick, president of the organization and chairman of the banquet and Everett Kemp, secretary, spoke briefly.

Scholarships For 4-H Members

Missouri 4-H Club members are eligible to apply for 13 college scholarships, each valued at \$100, and for ten camp scholarships which are to be awarded this year, reports R. S. Clough, state club agent for the University of Missouri College of Agriculture.

Entries may be made through county extension agents by May 1, and no limit will be placed on county entries for college scholarships. Only one boy and one girl to a county may apply for the camp scholarships. Any individual may compete for both a college and a camp scholarship.

The college scholarships include three boys and three girls for the Edward K. Love Wildlife Foundation scholarships; two boys and two girls for the American Farm Fire Underwriters' scholarships; and three individuals for the National Dairy Products Company awards.

William H. Danforth is providing \$43 scholarships for one boy and one girl to attend Camp Minawica, Michigan, and the American Youth Foundation is offering four boys and four girls half-scholarships (\$21.50) to attend the same camp. Previous delegates to the camp will be considered as candidates for half-scholarships.

Sgt. D. F. Mahnken Awarded Air Medal

Tech. Sgt. David F. Mahnken, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mahnken of Smithton, was awarded the Air Medal by Lt. Gen. Millard F. Harmon commanding U. S. Army Forces in the South Pacific, by direction of the president, on March 20, for bravery in performing his duty as aerial engineer in the Air Corps from July 28 to August 16.

On March 23 Tech. Sgt. Mahnken was awarded the Oak Leaf cluster by Lt. Gen. Harmon for sustained combat operational missions in the South Pacific area.

Sgt. Mahnken has been overseas since April 1943.

Professor of Urology Addresses Medical Men

Dr. Percy W. Pelouse, assistant professor of urology at the University of Pennsylvania, was the speaker at a dinner Monday night of the Pettis County Medical Society held at the Bethwell hotel.

Dr. Pelouse addressed the group on "Urology," giving a very interesting and instructive talk.

About twenty-five doctors attended, nearly all of the doctors of Pettis County and a number who are stationed at the Sedalia Air Field.

Dr. D. P. Dyer presided.

In the Service

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Nicholson, 1400 East Thirteenth street, have received word from their son, Cpl. Jay Nicholson, Jr., USMC, that he is on the west coast after 28 months' overseas and expects to receive a furlough soon.

His combat experiences include battles on Guadalcanal and at Tarawa.

Cpl. Nicholson was hospitalized in Hawaii and was released to sail for the United States. His brother, Cpl. Gerald Nicholson, also a marine, moved into the base in Hawaii where his brother had been just three days after Cpl. Jay Nicholson was transferred. They have not seen each other for three years.

Ensign William Joseph Pettyjohn, USNR, of 623 West Seventh street, has completed his training and has reported to the U. S. naval armed guard center in New Orleans, La., for assignment to duty as commander of a navy gun crew on a merchant ship, according to word received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pettyjohn of Sedalia.

The armed guard officer will be charged with the defense of the vessel in case of enemy attack.

Ensign Pettyjohn was associated with the soil conservation service, Harrison, Ark., prior to entrance into the navy March 9, 1942. Before receiving his commission he served as a chief specialist in the navy athletic program, stationed at Norfolk, Va. and Mare Island, Calif.

The 26-year old officer was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1940. While in college he was a member of the varsity football team during his last three years and played in the backfield against Georgia Tech in the 1939 Orange Bowl game.

Sgt. Clarence O. Steele, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steele of 1009 South Massachusetts street, has arrived safely in England according to word received by his parents.

Sgt. Steele is a high speed radio operator in the air corps and left Sedalia with the national guard in 1940. He enlisted in the air corps in 1943 and attended college at College Station, Tex., and from there went to Scott Field, Ill., where he graduated from radio school.

John Glenn, son of Mrs. Bertha Glenn of Otterville, stationed somewhere in Italy, has recently been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He is a motor mechanic.

KEESLER FIELD, Biloxi, Miss.—Pvt. Clark Edward Romig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Romig, F. F. D. No. 3, Sedalia, Mo., has reported at this unit of the Army Air Forces Training Command to begin a phase of processing designed to determine his qualifications as a pre-aviation cadet.

Miss Virginia Glenn, 1111 South Lamine avenue, has received word that Sgt. Bruce C. Walthall, who for several months was stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field, has arrived safely in England. His home is in Richmond, Va.

Charles Weller, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weller, 916 West Tenth street, who is in the U. S. Army stationed in England has been promoted to a corporal. Cpl. Weller has been in England since June 1943.

Mrs. M. C. Griffith, 3200 South Grand avenue, has received word from her husband, Private Murrell C. Griffith, of his safe arrival in England. He entered the service on March 5, 1943.

SAN ANTONIO AVIATION CADET CENTER, Texas—At the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center 127 cadets from Missouri are receiving pre-flight training to prepare them for aerial instruction as pilots, bombardiers and navigators.

During ten weeks of intensive training the cadets study mathematics, physics, naval and air-identification and other subjects as well as undergoing physical and military training. Upon completion of the courses the cadets will progress to advanced training schools.

Present classes include 2 from Sedalia: Dale S. Waite, 19, 122 East Seventh street, bombardier; and Keith E. Kreissler, 18, 210 East Sixth street, pilot.

GREAT LAKES, Ill.—Among those graduating from an intensive course of Machinist's Mate training at recent Service School exercises here was Russell Earl Darling, 18, son of Mrs. Russell Earl Darling, 1825 South Grand avenue, Sedalia.

This Bluejacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores. Graduates from the twenty specialized courses taught here at the Service School are sent to sea, to shore stations, or to advanced schools, for active duty or further training.

Snapy Smelser 4-H Club Meets

The Snapy Smelser 4-H club met the night of April 3 at the schoolhouse under the leadership of Margaret Jo Cranfill, vice president, who acted as chairman.

Enrollment cards were filled in, leaders selected, and the group decided to meet at the homes of members for coming sessions.

All boys and girls interested in joining the club are invited to attend the next meeting, April 11, at the Cranfill home. Parents are also welcome.

Mrs. Russell Sims III

Mrs. Russell Sims, 620 East Broadway, is in the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis. Mr. Sims went to St. Louis Saturday morning to spend a few days with her.

Thomas L. Biggs and Cora D. Fiene, both of Sedalia.

COMMUNITY NEWS from La Monte

Pvt. Charles Comfort of Camp Crowder visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Comfort. He was located at Camp Krohler, Calif., until two weeks ago when he was transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Ival Smith and daughter, Donna Jean, visited recently with the former's parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Brunswick, and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ruth Gilford, of Dalton. They were accompanied home by their grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Moore of Brunswick, who will now entirely gray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hiltengren were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Adams of Syracuse.

Miss Velma Sparks of Kansas City has arrived for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Morris of Sedalia visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. W. Hall, who has been ill the past few weeks. Mrs. Hall's condition shows improvement.

Miss Nellie Mae Sandridge of Baltimore, Md., spent a week visiting with her friend, Mrs. Terry Files, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillman Scott and daughter, Mary Lou, and George Guthrie were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lohman and daughters, Jean, of Warrensburg.

Mrs. Paul Teagarden and Miss Helen McGrath of Warrensburg spent Saturday in Kansas City. Miss McGrath accompanied Mrs. Teagarden home that evening and spent Sunday.

Mrs. Rosie Miller, who has been living in Green Ridge, moved Monday into an apartment in the home of Mrs. Sallie Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Munsey Gregory and daughter, Vivian, entertained as dinner guests Sunday in honor of Margaret's ninth birthday. Mrs. M. J. Gaston and son, Dickie, Jean Frances Crawford, Jessie McKeahan and Mrs. Craig Temple.

Mrs. A. W. LaRue, who underwent a major operation at Bothwell hospital recently, was brought to her home here Sunday afternoon, where she is convalescing nicely.

The Nautilus club held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. R. Keller with Mrs. W. E. Walker as leader. After the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. Raymond Wason, Mrs. Walker took charge of the program, introducing Mrs. Cora Elliott, high school teacher, who presented a play, "Don't Tell a Soul," with seven of the pupils taking part, as well as Mrs. Elliott. The group sang "Say a Prayer for the Boys Over Seas" after which Mrs. Paul Teagarden and Mrs. Klientzman entertained with a group of songs and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blakley and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough went to Mount Leonard Sunday, where they visited the family of the latter's son, Albert Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rittman were surprised on the occasion of their ninth wedding anniversary Friday evening when the following friends went to their home for a social evening: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerken and son, Herbert, and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. William Buchholz and son, Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clark and children, Lester Martin and Lena May, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Heffelfinger and son, Glenn Roy. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Leonard Reavis returned home Friday evening from Kansas City, where she was called by the critical illness of a cousin, who later died. Mrs. Reavis remained for the funeral services.

Mrs. Eckles was well known in Sedalia.

Surviving are a daughter, Miss Elizabeth Eckles and a son, the Rev. Dr. Edward Henry Eckles, Jr., of Tulsa, Okla.

Ernest Henney

Ernest Henney, aged 78, formerly engaged in the shoe business in Sedalia, died Sunday, April 2, at the family home, 5028 Marlborough Drive, San Diego, Calif., according to word received by friends here. He had suffered a heart attack following the flu.

Mrs. Carl McMillan and Miss Dorothy Jean Mahin of Sedalia spent Friday night with Miss Virginia Reynolds and attended the senior play at LaMonte high school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and son, Kenneth, and daughter, Juanita, of Smithton, spent Friday evening with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCune and children, Dale, Carol, and David, of Springfield, spent Monday afternoon with Mr. McCune's mother, Mrs. Louella McCune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Judd of Smithton visited Sunday afternoon with Miss Eva Belle Hotzenpiller, who accompanied them home. Miss Hotzenpiller will also visit her sisters, Mrs. Charles Griffin and Mrs. Ben Mahnken.

Mrs. Bruce Allen had as a week-end guest in her home Miss Mary Ellis of Sedalia.

Sgt. D. F. Mahnken Awarded Air Medal

Tech. Sgt. David F. Mahnken, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mahnken of Smithton, was awarded the Air Medal by Lt. Gen. Millard F. Harmon commanding U. S. Army Forces in the South Pacific, by direction of the president, on March 20, for bravery in performing his duty as aerial engineer in the Air Corps from July 28 to August 16.

On March 23 Tech. Sgt. Mahnken was awarded the Oak Leaf cluster by Lt. Gen. Harmon for sustained combat operational missions in the South Pacific area.

Sgt. Mahnken has been overseas since April 1943.

Professor of Urology Addresses Medical Men

Dr. Percy W. Pelouse, assistant professor of urology at the University of Pennsylvania, was the speaker at a dinner Monday night of the Pettis County Medical Society held at the Bethwell hotel.

Dr. Pelouse addressed the group on "Urology," giving a very interesting and instructive talk.

About twenty-five doctors attended, nearly all of the doctors of Pettis County and a number who are stationed at the Sedalia Air Field.

Dr. D. P. Dyer presided.

Sgt. John V. Sullivan Receives Citation Signed By Marshall

Sgt. John V. Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sullivan of 409 East Broadway, received a presidential citation for his service with the 35th fighter group during the battles of the Bismarck sea and the Coral sea in the Pagan area from July 23, 1942 to January 22, 1943, was recently learned by his relatives. The story was published in the December issue of the army air field newspaper at Kingman, Ariz., where the sergeant was hanger chief.

Home from the South Pacific after 21 months' overseas service, Sullivan spent two months last fall attending a service school at Burbank, and then was transferred to Kingman. He saw action in three major campaigns and spent the 11 months in New Guinea.

Sgt. Sullivan is now stationed at Victorville, Calif.

Citation Signed By Marshall

The citation permits him to wear the distinguished unit badge. Signed by Chief of Staff G. C. Marshall, it concluded: "The courage, spirit and devotion of all elements of the command made possible the complete victory attained."

Rearred in Sedalia, Sgt. Sullivan is a graduate of the Sedalia high school. His wife and 6-year-old son, Lawrence, are making their home in Gary, Ind.

Sgt. Sullivan is now stationed at Victorville, Calif.

Obituaries

Mrs. Jennie Hilligoss

Mrs. Jennie Hilligoss, aged 77 years, passed away about 10:45 o'clock Tuesday night at her home, 206 East Fifth street, death following an illness of a considerable time which became critical but a few days ago.

Mrs. Hilligoss was a member of the First Baptist church and the American Legion auxiliary to Petts County post No. 16.

Surviving are a son and daughter, Ray Hilligoss, of Denver, who had been at her bedside since Sunday, and Miss Hazel Hilligoss of the home.

Another son, Leo, who was in aviation service during the first world war was killed after being in training at Scott Field, Ill.

The body was taken to the McLaughlin Funeral chapel to await completion of funeral arrangements.

I. W. McCowan

I. W. McCowan, of Columbia, Mo., died Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock after an illness of about three years. Mr. McCowan was 86 years of age and had been a lifelong resident of Boone county, having spent his entire married life on the same farm 11 miles west of Columbia on highway 40.

A son, Ralph E. McCowan, of Sedalia, route 1, survives, with the following other children: Miss Nettie McCowan, Miss Pearl McCowan, Mrs. Mattie Baldwin, Mrs. Ruth Douglas, Roy McCowan, all of Columbia, and Frank M. McCowan, of Fort Madison, Ia. Mrs. McCowan preceded him in death several years ago.

Funeral services will be held at the Locust Grove Methodist church at Midway, Mo., Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The body is at the Willet Funeral home at Columbia, where it will remain until the funeral hour.

Flies on Fifty Missions, Now Rests at Home

Tech Sgt. Jax Whitaker Happy to Be Back in States

"It isn't half as good to hear my voice as it is to hear yours," were the first words Tech. Sergeant Jax E. Whitaker said to a friend when he was called at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitaker, 519 West Broadway Wednesday morning. Sergeant Whitaker has just returned from Italy, after being overseas for the past eighteen months in the United States Army Air Corps, a member of a bomber squadron.

Sergeant Whitaker has had many interesting experiences, too numerous to mention, has completed fifty missions over enemy targets and the ships he has flown in have emptied 150 tons of bombs on the enemy targets. He has met Sedalians overseas, visited many countries and says "Sedalia certainly looks better to me than all of them. I'll take the good old States anytime. I am not even interested in any of those foreign countries I have visited, including England. Give me good old Missouri anytime," he said this morning.

He has been awarded the Air Medal and has nine clusters to the medal, has also received the Good Conduct ribbon and can wear four stars on his campaign ribbon designating four major battles he participated in as a member of the air corps.

The four stars represent the invasion of North Africa, invasion of Sicily, invasion of Italy and the invasion of Tunisia.

Enlisted in 1941

Enlisting in the air corps in December of 1941, reporting to the recruiting office in Kansas City for assignment on January 2, 1942, he received his training in the States. He enlisted in the air corps at the same time as did Jack Shell of Sedalia, who has been reported missing.

It was September 26, 1942, when he left the States, hopping off from a base in Maine and landing in England on September 30. At that time he was a member of a group headed by Col. Elliott Roosevelt, in the photo reconnaissance work. He was a member of this group for several months and transferred to the 418th "B" Squadron, 99th Bombing Group, which outfit he remained with until he had completed his fifty missions. The latter group was known as the "Diamond Backs."

He was flight engineer on a B-17 and flew 35 of his missions with Wayne E. Thurman, now a lieutenant colonel, whose home is in Callaway, Nebraska, and who recently returned to the U. S.

His fifth mission was completed February 25, 1944, a flight which took him over Pola harbor, Italy a German supply station, located in northern Italy.

Thrilling Experience

The most thrilling experience of all his missions was that when they started a flight into Germany. "Weather was not so good and our flight divided up. There were sixteen planes in our group and we headed for Augsberg, Germany, where the largest Messerschmitt factory was located. We hit our target and were attacked by fifty ME 109's, German fighter planes," he said.

"Things certainly got hot and it was a battle I'll always remember. The group was credited with nine 109's and our losses were three bombers, but we played havoc with that factory," he said.

His forty-sixth mission was in a bomber piloted by Captain Bernhard Shaw, Jr., whose home is in Marshall, Mo. It was on this mission that he experienced a thrill which can now be told. In flight, one of the life rafts broke loose and became inflated. It lodged against the stabilizer at the rear of the plane and caused it to start downward. The plane had dropped about 2,000 feet and as they started for a rear door to bail out, he noticed what was wrong with the ship.

"I took a machine gun and started shooting at the raft, causing it to start tearing and within a few seconds it tore itself loose. Capt. Shaw gained control and we made it safely back to our base. We were forced out of formation and Nazi fighter planes made an attack while we were in trouble. Our radio operator was credited with one fighter, a ME-109," Sergeant Whitaker related.

Han Prized Autographs

Sergeant Whitaker also played a part in the Casablanca historical meeting. The plane of which he was a crew member, carried several distinguished military heads to and from the conference. He has in his possession a 100-franc note with the names of many of their celebrated passengers, including Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, Lt. Gen. G. S. Patton, Lt. Gen. Brehon Somerville, Admiral E. J. King, Admiral Libby, Admiral C. W. Cook, Sir Arthur Cunningham, vice Marshal of the RAF, General Omicrahr, commander-in-chief of the Turkish armies and General Orgenral, a member of his staff. Also attached to the 100-franc note is a United States dollar bill with the gold seal, money used only by the AEF, which is his "Short Snorter" on which appear the names of numerous officers ranking from second lieutenants to colonels, and on the back of his franc note are the names of crew members of the plane which carried the celebrated.

Also in his possession is a letter from his possession is a letter from his

Sgt. C. E. Feaster Killed in Italy

Sgt. Claude E. Feaster has been killed in action in Italy according to a telegram from the war department to his sister, Mrs. Ardith E. Harbith, formerly of route 2, Sedalia.

Mrs. Harbith moved from that address and the last

forwarding one known in Sedalia to Fontana, Calif., to which place the telegram was forwarded.

Sgt. Feaster had been injured in action last year according to a news dispatch carried last November in the *Democrat-Capital*.

of commendation from Lt. Gen. Clark, in which he refers to Whitaker's work while assigned to a B-17 which had been assigned to General Clark's headquarters. He has several other commendation letters from officers under whom he served, one of which recommended him for officers' candidate school.

Over Many Countries

On his billfold are the names of countries he has either visited or flown over: New Foundland, England, Scotland, Ireland, North Africa, Egypt, Tripolitania, Tunisia, Italy, France, Germany, Austria, Yugoslavia, Hungary, Libya, Malta, Sicily, Pantelleria, Portugal, Capri, Sardinia, Corsica, Albania, Greece, Spanish Morocco, French Morocco, Switzerland, Auglo-Egypt Sudan, French West Africa, Algeria, Rio De Ora.

While in Italy he visited with Captain D. C. Davis, group engineering officer. This was on February 28. He also visited with Colonel Arthur Salisbury in March of 1943 at Tripoli, when "Buck" was a lieutenant colonel. He also saw Lieutenant Allen Brill while stationed in England. Lieutenant Brill was lost in a forced landing in the North Sea.

In closing his interview with the Capital reporter he said: "The people over here don't know what war is. I have seen the time I would pay \$25 for a hamburger and this afternoon I'm going down to Hugie's and get one, and also some chili."

Sergeant Whitaker is home for twenty-five days and reports back for duty at Miami, Florida, May 6. He arrived back in the United States at Newport News, Va., and went to Camp Patrick Henry, Va., thence to Jefferson Barracks, where he remained one day before continuing his journey to Sedalia.

COMMUNITY NEWS from

Houstonia

Marshall Dickerson, stationed in military service in Wisconsin, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Dickerson. His two brothers, also in military service, are now somewhere overseas.

Hermin Smith arrived Saturday for a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom N. Smith and family. He is stationed in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Hume of Marshall were here Sunday to attend the funeral services of Clarence R. Rhinehart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Yokeley of near Hernden and Mrs. Yokeley's sister and husband of the state of California were Sunday dinner guests of the ladies' nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Reid and family.

The Rev. Hughes, pastor of the Community church, is taking a longer visit with her parents.

The Rev. and Mrs. Earl Bazil Brown and baby of Iberia were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Belle Westbrook.

Mrs. Claude Cooper and sister, Mrs. Beula White, who has been employed at Sedalia Army Air Field near Knob Noster, spent a few days in Houston with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hand and family, and left last week for Fort Worth, Tex. Mr. Cooper is teaching school in Texas.

Mrs. B. T. Schondelmeier and son, Richard, have returned to their home in Kansas City following a several-days visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and other relatives. Richard, former Houstonia boy, expects to be called into military service in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Nutt of near Green Ridge were Sunday dinner guests in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nutt.

Mrs. Mollie Nutt recently spent a few days at Sweet Springs with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yokeley, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Yokeley, near Hernden.

Leonard Lockney, in military service, is spending a furlough of a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lockney and family.

Mrs. Bennie Martin and mother, Mrs. Mollie Nutt, visited Mrs. Martin's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vickery, Sedalia, at their South Ohio apartment Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Martin, who has spent a few weeks at Ames, Ia., with her husband, who is taking a motor machinist course at Iowa State college there, spent a few days here with her parents and other relatives and returned Friday to Ames. Her husband, Orville Frank Martin, seaman second class, expects to complete the course April 8.

Red Cross Blood Bank in Sedalia July 10-14 Inclusive

The next Red Cross Blood Bank in Sedalia will be July 10 to 14 inclusive, Ernest W. Baker, general chairman of the Red Cross Blood Bank for the Sedalia chapter, American Red Cross, announced today.

The Center will again be at the Elks Home, Fourth and Kentucky.

Over time parking bonds

Mrs. L. R. Bailey, 500 South Carr avenue, and M. J. Kelsey, 612 South Ohio avenue, posted \$1 cash bond each Wednesday for parking their cars overtime.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

In The Service

T/5 John B. O'Brien who is stationed at Suffolk air base, West Hampton Beach, Long Island, N. Y., arrived Sunday to spend a week with his wife of 1212 East Fifth street. He also is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. O'Brien and his brother, James, 408 East Sixth street. T/5 O'Brien will leave Monday night for his base. He has been in service since April 16, 1943 and is in an anti aircraft company.

William Pulliam, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pulliam, 2001 East Broadway, who has been stationed in England since June 1943, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant.

Mrs. Eva Davidson, 418 North Stewart Ave., has received word that her son, Robert J. Davidson, who is stationed in the Hawaiian Islands, has been promoted to second class yeoman in the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Gerald Lawrence has received word from her husband, who is with the Signal Corps in Italy, of his promotion from second lieutenant to first lieutenant. Lieutenant Lawrence has been serving overseas for the past fourteen months and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lawrence, 518 East Fourth street.

Jean D. Joyce, seaman 2/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Joyce, 1120 Wilkerson, who has been at Faragut, Idaho, has been sent to Lake Union Advanced Naval Training school at Seattle, Wash., where he will receive fire control training.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Rayburn, Jr., and daughter, Donna Kay, who have been residing in St. Charles, are weekend visitors in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Rayburn. G. D., Jr., has moved his family to Windsor and is expecting a call from the navy in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and sons, Marvin and Lyle, are spending the weekend visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Staats and children of Kansas City will accompany them back to Green Ridge, where they will be guests of Mrs. Staats' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Galloway. Mr. Smith and Mr. Staats will report for military duty soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeCuster and daughter, Carole, of Warrensburg, were guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. DeCuster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pace and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Holder. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holder, Raymond Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowline, three birthday anniversaries were celebrated.

The Nelson Ladies' Cemetery Club met Wednesday night and elected the following officers: Miss Agnes Ritchey, president; Mrs. M. Verts, vice president; Miss Edith Richardson, secretary; Mrs. H. A. Smith, chaplain; and Wess Thomas, employed as caretaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Renn and son, Robert Young were Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jeffress and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pace and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Holder; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holder, Raymond Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowline, and daughter formerly resided in Tipton and will again reside here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kruse and little daughter, Rosemary, and Mrs. Kruse's sister, Mrs. Louis Mosier, of Syracuse, have moved to Tipton. Mr. Kruse is with the highway department.

Mrs. S. C. Miller, who has been living in the Mrs. Mattie Clever property in east Green Ridge, moved to La Monte Monday and will make her home there.

Mrs. Mabel Martin, who recently spent a few weeks at the home of her son in Kansas City, has returned to the home of her father, Jack Chaney, and Mrs. Chaney.

Sgt. Thomas Hampton, who has been taking a course in motor warfare at a southern camp, has been here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hampton.

George Close of Chillicothe was a visitor this week in the home of his relatives, T. J. Close and E. Close.

Pre-Easter services were held each night last week at the Presbyterian church. Visiting pastors from Clinton and Sedalia preached.

The choir presented an Easter cantata Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Templeton, the former of whom has been in military training in Arkansas, have been here for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Templeton and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wadeleigh.

Warren George, who has been in military training at Camp Phillips, Kas., has been sent east with his regiment and now has an APO address.

Mrs. E. J. Sims was hostess Wednesday afternoon to members of the Triple-F club. Attending were Mrs. G. T. Murphy, Mrs. E. H. Boitz, Mrs. J. L. Purchase, Mrs. H. H. Ream, Mrs. George Rucher, Mrs. C. H. Wisdom and daughter, Charlene, and Miss Nola Barrow. Refreshments were served.

Another of a pre-school age child is invited to attend.

Send Soldiers To Algoa Farms

Private Jack Patrick, Garrett, Ky., and Private Robert L. Schumacker, Erlanger, Ky., who were stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field, Wednesday were sentenced to five years each at Algoa Farms, on charges of first degree robbery. Both men appeared before Judge Dimmitt Hoffman in criminal court that morning and pleaded guilty.

They were arrested after they had been accused of robbing Robert Lee Coffelt, 119 South Washington avenue, the night of April 1, of \$48. The two were

alleged to have had a 15-year-old girl lure Coffelt away from a local "honey spot" to a vacant filling station at 2nd street and Massachusetts ave., where they took Coffelt's billfold with the money in it, and then returned the billfold after taking the money.

The two were turned over to the civil authorities by the army.

Red Cross Blood Bank in Sedalia July 10-14 Inclusive

The next Red Cross Blood Bank in Sedalia will be July 10 to 14 inclusive, Ernest W. Baker, general chairman of the Red Cross Blood Bank for the Sedalia chapter, American Red Cross, announced today.

The Center will again be at the Elks Home, Fourth and Kentucky.

Over time parking bonds

Mrs. L. R. Bailey, 500 South Carr avenue, and M. J. Kelsey, 612 South Ohio avenue, posted \$1 cash bond each Wednesday for parking their cars overtime.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Club Topic Spare Time

The Lovelace Homemakers club held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. T. S. Ellis.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Russell Branstetter, the president, by singing America. The club collect was read and roll call answered with: "What I do in my spare time." The devotional was led by Mrs. Branstetter.

Interesting games were played during the social hour and were led by Miss Audry Thierfelder.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the eight members present.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ellis Glenn.

COMMUNITY NEWS from

Green Ridge

Mrs. J. B. Myers

The following were elected in the city and school election held Tuesday: Mayor, Carl L. Rager; marshal, J. B. Myers; city collector, J. R. McCampbell; councilman for the north ward, True Ulmer; and Elias Arnett, Carl Johnson, George Spickert and Charles Upton, school directors.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Rayburn, Jr., and daughter, Donna Kay, who have been residing in St. Charles, are weekend visitors in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Staats and children of Kansas City will accompany them back to Green Ridge, where they will be guests of Mrs. Staats' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and sons, Marvin and Lyle, are spending the weekend visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Staats and children of Kansas City will accompany them back to Green Ridge, where they will be guests of Mrs. Staats' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Rayburn, Jr., and daughter, Judy Kay, who recently returned from the west coast where they were with their husband and father, Melvin Ray, in military service, also have been guests in the Ray home.

Mrs. S. C. Miller, who has been living in the Mrs. Mattie Clever property in east Green Ridge, moved to La Monte Monday and will make her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Renn and son, Robert Young were Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jeffress and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pace and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holder, Raymond Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowline, three birthday anniversaries were celebrated.

The Nelson Ladies' Cemetery Club met Wednesday night and elected the following officers: Miss Agnes Ritchey, president; Mrs. M. Verts, vice president; Miss Edith Richardson, secretary; Mrs. H. A. Smith, chaplain; and Wess Thomas, employed as caretaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Renn and son, Robert Young were Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jeffress and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pace and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Holder.

Expect Some Changes In City Employees

(Continued From Page One)

cause of election, by either the Democrats or Republicans.

In the police department, there are eight Democrats, several of whom feel confident they will be replaced. It is possible the Republican council will retain those Democrats who are licensed radio operators, to maintain the police radio. However at the present time the three licensed operators on the department are Raymond Vickrey, Republican, night chief of police, and operator George Maness, Democrat, desk sergeant and operator; and Anson Finnell, Democrat, who was elected chief of police.

Vickrey Asks Change

Night Chief Vickrey has already informed Mayor A. H. Wilks, he desires to be relieved of the duties of night chief of police and operator, but would probably accept a position as a patrolman.

Mayor Wilks has not indicated what changes are to be made, leaving this up to the meeting Monday night, when new appointments will be publicly announced.

Appointive Offices

The following departments have appointive offices:

City counsellor, \$115 per month; city clerk, \$160 plus fees; two city physicians at \$60 per month.

Police department, nine patrolmen at \$120 each per month; radio operator at \$125 per month; radio operator and desk sergeant, \$130 per month; night chief of police and radio operator \$135 per month.

Fire department chief at \$160 per month; assistant chief at \$145 per month; four drivers at \$121 per month; nine firemen at \$115 per month.

Street department: Plumbing inspector at \$60 per month; building inspector at \$120 per month; city engineer at \$220 per month plus \$10 a month gasoline allowance; seven laborers at \$87 per month and three extra laborers paid by the time they work.

Sanitary department: Two disposal plant employees at \$90 per month each; incinerator plant employee at \$60 per month; sanitary officer at \$150 per month plus \$10 a month gasoline allowance, who also have duties of back tax collecting; gasoline tax collector; ad valorem tax collector; checking on women reported to the police by the military authorities, etc.

Contingent: Milk inspector, \$137 per month; poundmaster, \$30 per month plus fees; stenographer, \$60 per month.

Building committee: Weighmaster, \$60 per month; janitor at \$60 per month.

Reds Drive Toward Sevastopol

(Continued From Page One)

Star, the Soviet army paper in Moscow, said Russian airmen had sighted and attacked "caravans of enemy ships" heading away from the Crimea, but the extent or probable success of any mass evacuation was highly speculative.

Nazis Steal Trucks

Soviet accounts said the Germans were stealing Romanian trucks and cars, abandoning their allies just as they did the Italians in North Africa, and that German officers, in turn, were abandoning their own men in the mad scramble to get away from the advancing Russians.

Capture of Yevpatoria, 42 miles north of Sevastopol, represented a 20-mile gain in a day for the west wing of Gen. Feodor I. Tolbukhins forces, embracing more than 500 other populated places, while a second column of his army pushed 11 miles down the railway to Simferopol. These two forces up to last night reported capture of more than 11,000 enemy troops, the Soviet communiqué said.

Advances today had not yet been counted.

On the east, Gen. Andrei I. Yeremenko's independent maritime army, having cleared the enemy from the entire Kerch peninsula, advancing 16 miles to take Feodosiya, 62 miles east of Simferopol, and liberated more than 100 other towns. Up to last night they had captured more than 9,000 men.

Thus the three Russian forces were converging rapidly toward the southern tip of the Crimea, having covered approximately three fourths of the peninsula's 10,000-square-mile area in six days.

Tank forces and infantry were credited with the victories, aided by motorized artillery and Kuban Kossack cavalry, while waves of strafing and bombing planes cleared the way ahead of them.

Simferopol, a city of about 100,000 in peacetime, lies on the northern slopes of the Chatyr-Dagh, a spur of the Yaila mountains. Feodosiya and Yevpatoria, cities normally of 27,000 and 20,000 populations, are the principal eastern and western seaports of the Crimea. All fell to the Germans and Romanians in the first year of the war.

The German high command ruefully acknowledged that in the Crimea today the Russians "are sharply pressing against our movements of detaching."

Policy To "Get Tough" Looms

(Continued From Page One)

dispatch by George Schroeder which was an implied threat to neutral nations against giving away to the British-American demands.

Declaring that "one-sided economic support of a belligerent party means an end of neutrality," the broadcast said that "England and America with their present pressure, for which Hull fired the starting shot, are pursuing their old policy with old arguments."

Further the broadcast asserted that England and America "do not represent the rights of neutrals and thus ignore international agreements."

The moves were made amid conferences here between U. S. Under-Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., and British foreign officials on mutual problems, including the questions of neutrals, and with indications that Prime Minister Churchill soon would endorse publicly Secretary of State Hull's declaration against neutral economic dealing with the enemy.

Berlin commentators said the Stettinius trip is connected with a planned crackdown on Sweden.

The United States and Britain protested in strong language both an increase in chrome shipments from Turkey to Germany and seizure by Spain of Allied oil stocks at Tetuan, Spanish Morocco. The oil question is still under discussion.

Publication of the letters came at a time when there were reports that some of MacArthur's supporters wanted to slow down his campaign because of the growth of a bandwagon movement toward Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York.

General Not Advised

CHICAGO, April 13.—(P)—The people who put General Douglas MacArthur in the Illinois presidential preference primary didn't ask for his permission—and they haven't told him that he received a large vote.

Joseph P. Savage, head of the MacArthur for President club, said today.

He also disclosed that none of the club members here knew the general personally, although many of them had served under his command in the army.

Dedication Of New Armory On April 30

(Continued From Page One)

water for the nine shower baths.

Regimental Officers Coming

Present at the dedication will be men from Booneville, Warrensburg, Sedalia, Clinton, Windsor, Marshall and Columbia. Col. Rex P. Barrett, commanding officer of the Fourth Regiment, from headquarters in Columbia, will be present, with members of the state staff, and Maj. Vance Julian, of Clinton, commander of the second battalion.

The program, as outlined now, though plans are incomplete, will include the serving of mess to the visitors in army style at noon. Sgt. O. W. Hall will be in charge of the preparation of the food.

At approximately one o'clock the men will assemble and will march in full battle dress, with bayonets fixed, down Ohio avenue to Main street, passing in review before the court house where the visiting officers from the state will be stationed. The SAAF band will lead the parade.

It is hoped that Gov. Forrest Donnell, who has been asked to appear as speaker, will be able to accept the invitation. If not, some officer from state headquarters at Jefferson City will address the crowd at the dedication in the afternoon.

Major A. H. Wilks will deliver the opening address.

At a recent inspection by federal officers, it was impressed upon the local officers that the duties of the state guard organization will be heavily multiplied in the event of any sort of disaster at home during the struggle abroad. Capt. A. B. Burke has said that about ten more men are needed for the local company—men who are not likely to be drafted and who are willing to become members.

The present membership comprises 37 men and two officers, Capt. Burke and Lt. E. N. Reynolds.

Woman Held By Abductor

NEW YORK, April 13.—(P)—

Call him a caveman or not, he still loves her. Joseph Wilson said today when he was arrested on charges of abducting Mrs. Monica Bonelli at gunpoint and holding her a prisoner for three nights.

Mrs. Bonelli, 30, said she was on her way to church when Wilson kidnapped her.

The 48-year-old longshoreman, charged with kidnapping, abduction, rape and violation of the firearms law, was placed under \$2,500 bail on the rape charge, pending further hearing next Monday.

"Are you a caveman lover?" asked an arresting officer.

"You can call me what you want but I still love that woman," Wilson replied.

Detective Charles Bauer said Wilson posted a confederate, Enrique Torres, 23, a laborer, to guard Mrs. Bonelli in a room while Wilson was away at work and that she escaped when Torres fell asleep. Torres was held on the same charges as Wilson.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

August primary, filing with County Clerk J. H. Green Thursday.